

Eggs 1984



JULIEKNADLER 9th

Mrs. Sallee

Hey! How goes it?

Well, here I go again.

I don't know

how much I can

write. Sometimes

I can write forever

and sometimes I

don't feel like writ-

ing. This year has

been totally bitin'

and I'm glad you

were part of it. At one time

we were good friends and

then things just got blown

way out of proportion with

God. Or well, at least we're

still friends. You're a really sweet person and

I'm glad I got to know you so well. I had

better write faster cuz I take so long!

Anyway, you have a great summer

and I know I will probably see you.

You'd better call me! You'd also

better play softball cuz it's

rad! I hope I get in more

of your classes next year.

World Cultures wouldn't

be the same without

you! Well, I've written

enough! See ya later!

Beth

Julie,

I can't believe I'm actually signing your yearbook. It's been great

knowing you this year

and having you in

Social Studies. You're

really sweet. Have a

great summer, go to

the beach a lot and

get tan! See you next

year or maybe this

summer. (KIT: 268-8965)

Love,

Justin

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with
love
shined!

Jullie
It has been great
knowing you this year,
and it has been great having
you in class have a great
summer.
Damen

If you chance to see a frown,
Do not let it stay.
Quickly turn it upside down,
And smile that frown away.

No one likes a frowning face,
Change it to a smile.
Make the world a better place,
By smiling all the while.

- I know people have made fun of
you so many times, but I think
you have a really great personality.
Have a great summer, and I
hope to see you next year.

R. Kuboi - Corsair

Jullie
I'm really glad
you met your
friend! Hope you
can bring to call
soon! Love
Damen

Jullie
I'm so glad we
got to know each
other this year. You're
a real sweetie. It
was great having you
in English! Maybe next
year we'll have more
classes together. Hopefully
I'll see you during
the summer. Have
a good one!

P.S. Friends -
K.F. Melinda
368 1669

Jullie
It was great
meeting you this year.
I'm sure you
will be back out
there some day.
Have a great
summer!
Huglany

Hi Juliee
 I think you
 are a great friend.
 I'm really glad we met.
 English sucks. I can't
 to stand Mrs. Shelton, but the
 people in the class are great. Well
 you better visit me this summer
 and call me some time.
 friends
 forever
 Kelly
 Honey

Juliee,

I am so glad I met
 you, you are a great
 friend. I think this
 year was so fun. I hope
 we have at least one
 class next year. We should
 go out this summer. Have
 a great one.

call me
 268-6455

Love
 Lisa

Malcom

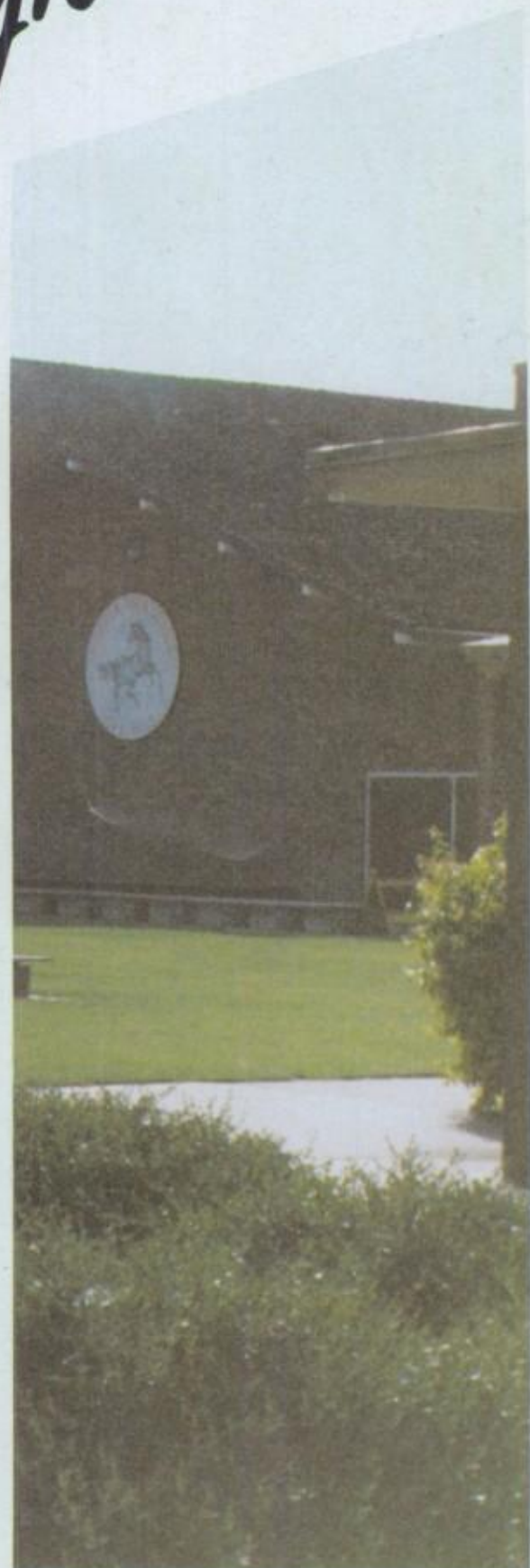
Juliee, up Boney?
 Hope you had a good
 year! I love air
 summer and a
 year

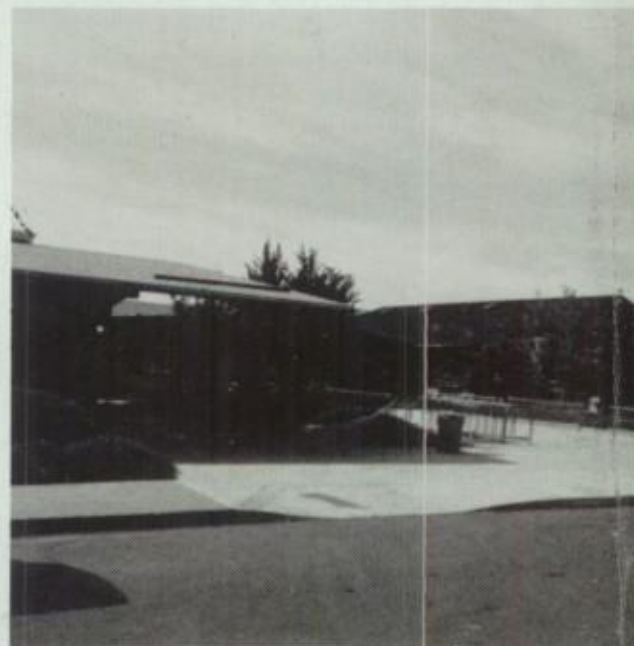
for
 268-6455

Hey Juliee what's going on? I met
 chong to much. well I hope you
 had better year because I love
 ed and I hope you have a
 better summer every I will.
 anyway, don't party to much
 and hopefully all see you next
 year
 Ellen Blancher

Pioneer High

Yippee!!







Hey Juliee

I am glad I met you
this year cus you are a
good friend even if you are a
little stupid sometimes. Well it
doesn't matter so I will see you
some time in the summer. Bye

Love you
Dore
Jimmie

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summer. have a rad one.
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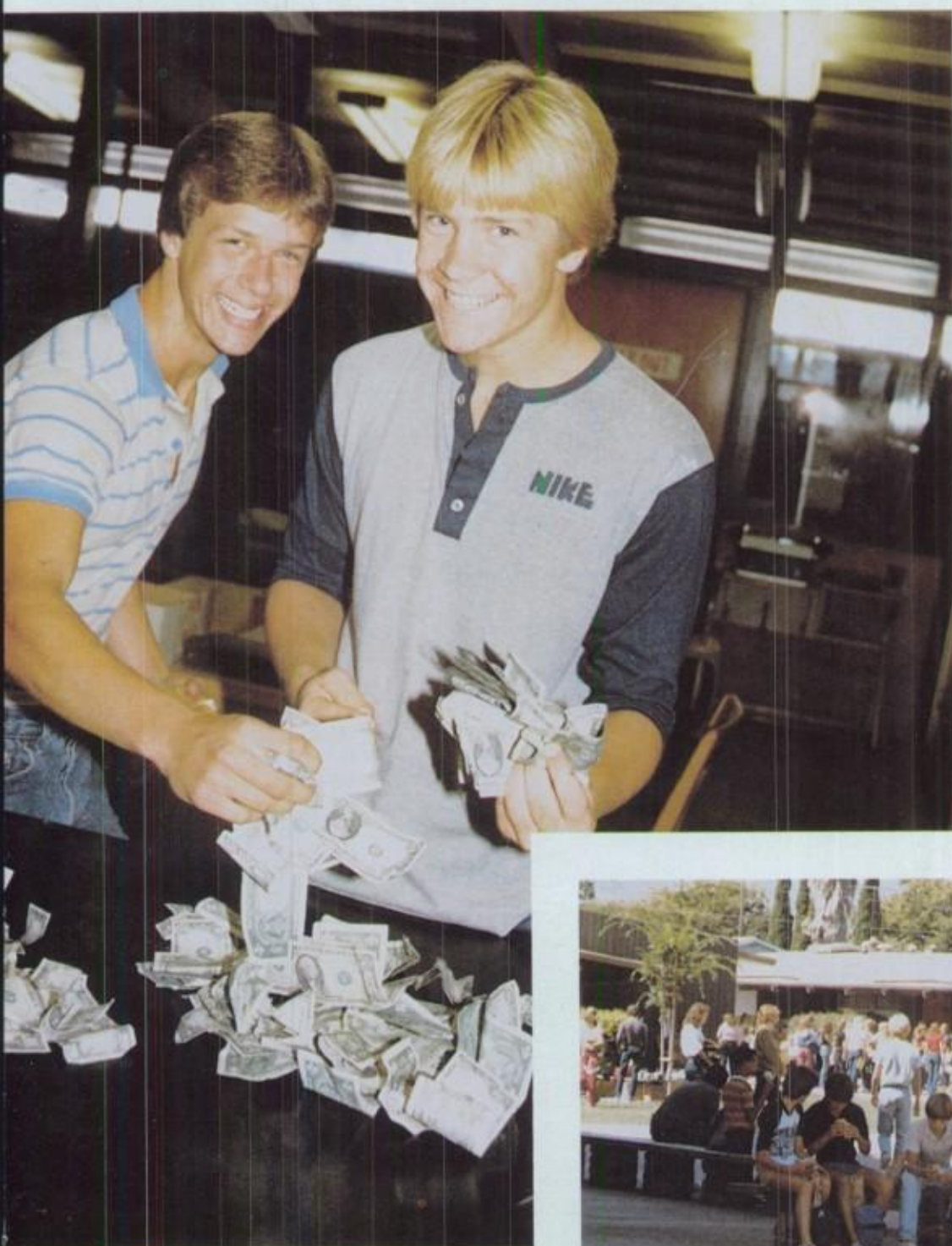
PRIDE

A NEW BEGINNING



Above: The halls of Pioneer await the opening day of school! **Lower Right:** New faces surround an old, familiar scene. **Above Right:** Mustang defense prepares for a penetrating attack on Branham's offense. **Top Right:** Colleen Tenant stands out from the crowd. **Opposite Page, Top:** Jeff Kreiser and Eric Svenson roll in the dough. **Opposite page, Bottom:** Pioneer Quad filled with anxious faces.





The first week of the 1983-'84 school year was both an extremely exciting and a very frightening experience. To incoming freshmen, as well as other new students, Pioneer's campus seemed overwhelming. In a world filled with new faces, these students spent their opening days memorizing room numbers and, even more stressful, locating these rooms on strange and unknown turf, while at the same time, learning the names and faces of students, teachers, and administrators. Locating even such non-well-known areas as the snack bar, smoking area and bank proved a difficult task for first time students in their first week.

For the graduating class of 1984, the picture was quite different. Having attended Pioneer for the previous three years, they walked through the many rooms and hallways as if the campus were their own home. Indeed it had been a type of "home," but now it was suddenly viewed in a new light because in June it would be left behind. The seniors had ambivalent feelings about leaving fellow classmates

and teachers, who added a valuable dimension to their lives.

Still another group, larger than either the freshmen or the seniors, entered Pioneer in the fall of 1983. This group, our sophomores and juniors, was also apprehensive about the beginning of school. Sophomores looked forward to a year with both old and new friends while juniors enjoyed feelings of comfort and excitement; they were at ease with the system and the seniors, yet they eagerly awaited their own final year — and their graduation in 1985.

Although each group had differing memories, feelings, and hopes, ALL shared a common feeling of Pioneer Pride. It began with that first glimpse of unity at that first football game

when the crowd, consisting of all grade levels, stood as one to cheer our Mega Mustangs for a fantastic game. This pride grew stronger as the opening week of school progressed and the Welcome Back Dance became the talk of the campus. Finally, when everyone was mixed on the dance floor, having the time of their lives, no one could tell the difference between freshman and seniors — and best of all — no one cared! Every student had experienced that first horrendous week of school, and each one had made it through, feeling better about himself, about the people around him, and about Pioneer. That certain pride in Pioneer, and in ourselves as Mustangs, was complete and would be present from that day forward, throughout the year.



Above: Mark Teixeira — a great drummer most of the time

Top Right: English has never been so fun!

Middle Right: Trying hard to learn, Tracy Ringberg gives full attention.

Right: Josh Mayer sitting back and being cool

Far Right: An attentive Scott Wendler

KICK W' BACK / VEGING OUT



(STONED AGAIN)



Julie,
you are a cool buddy,
although a space cadet
w/ little in your head.
(Just kidding) It's been one helluva
short year, I'm damn ready
for 10th. hope to see you this
summer.

Love, Josh (Josh Mayer)

Myar PS.

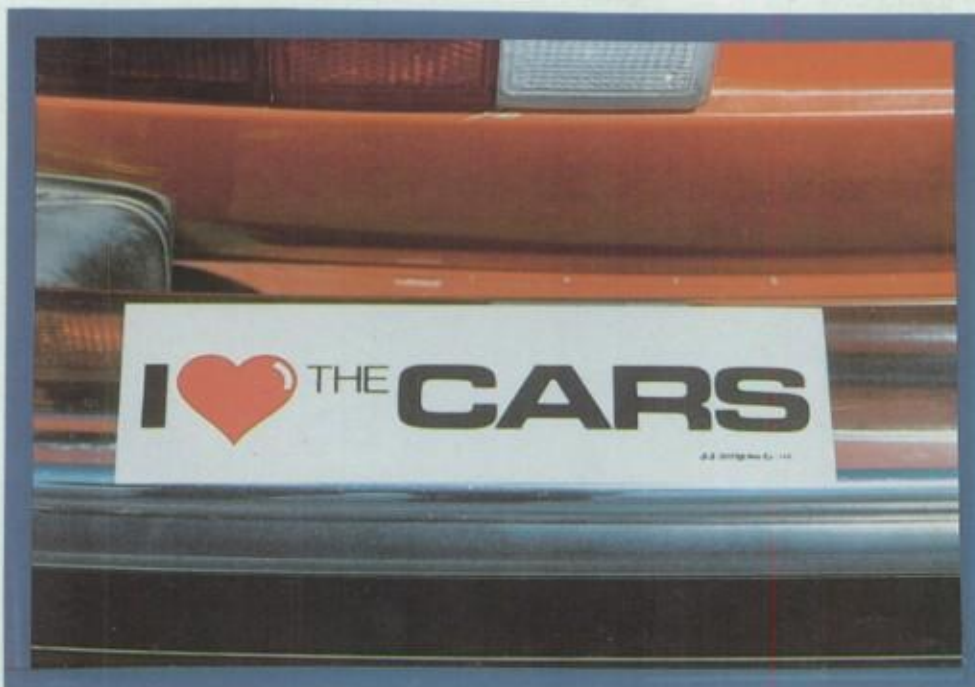
Sorry for all the bad
things I've said about you
this year.



Above Left: Jeff Thomas skanks.
Top Right: Laurel Moore takes a quick break.
Above Right: Mima King and Sean Fitzpatrick relax after finishing a test.
Left: Julie Massa, Barbie Faulkner, Lisa Vasquez and Vicki Asensi study in the shade.

PRIDE

Fashions And Fads . . .



Fashion played an important and ever changing role in everyday life at Pioneer this year. Styles were less conservative than in the past — and many more options were available to individuals. The look of the fifties was combined with the multi-colored stripes, polka dots, and plaids of the eighties. Styles ranged anywhere from the little girl look of saddle oxfords, bobby socks, peddle pushers and cut sweatshirts to the business look of slit skirts, high pumps, patterned nylons and feminine blouses. Of course, there were those little accessories — colorful square earrings, two or three bracelets to match them, dress hats, etc. — that seemed to go with everything. Students this year were able to open closets, select whatever struck their fancy, and still fit right in with the crowd.

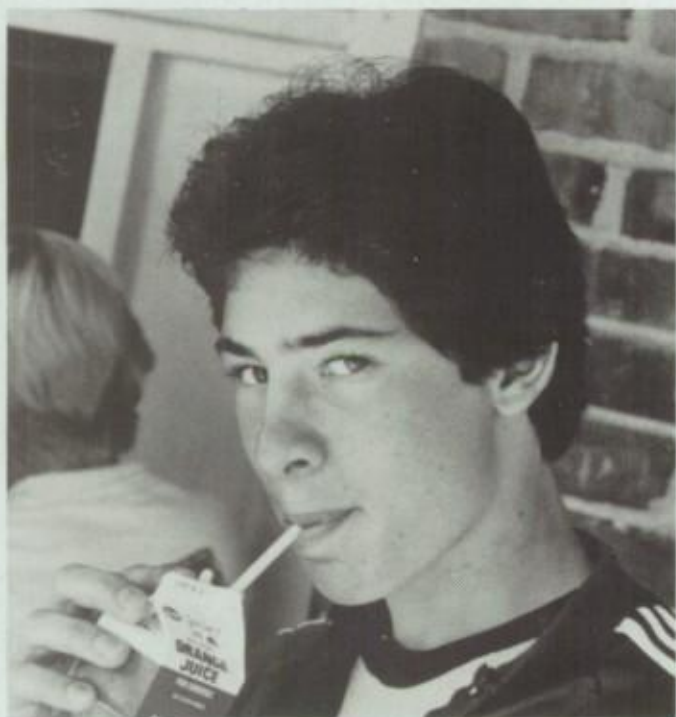
It seemed that every new fashion and style became a popular fad during the year. We will always remember such fads — hats, top siders, fatigues, sweats, mini-skirts, ties, pumps, 501's, earrings, cut sweatshirts, Nike tennis shoes, shaved heads, peddle pushers, and many more.

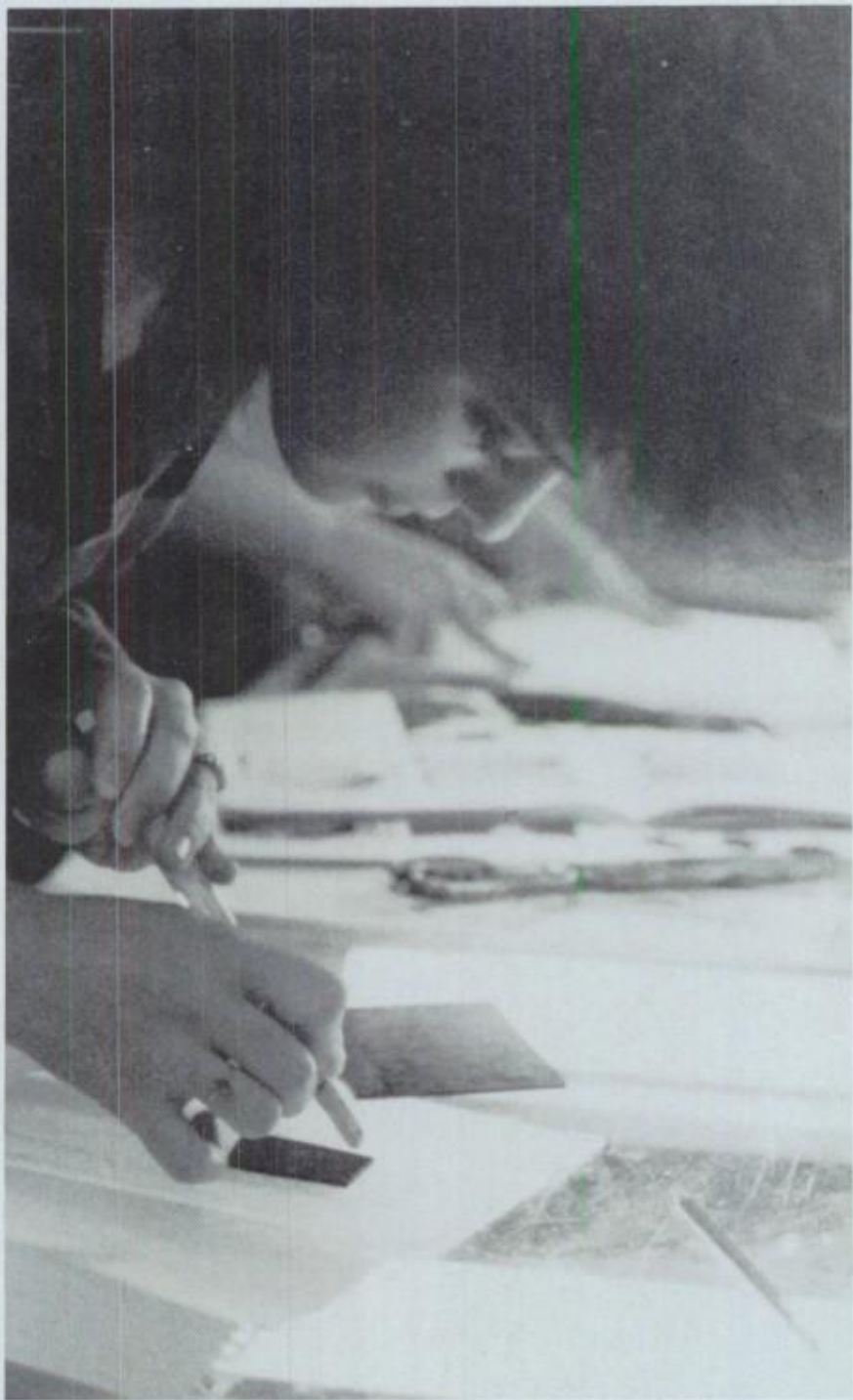
Fads and fashion went hand in hand throughout the year to leave a stylistic mark on the population of Fashions And Fads . . .



Above Right: Pioneer is a fad that will last forever. Bottom Right: Heidi Knox, Lisa Talpas, Inga Davis, Jeff Kreiser, Stacy Dorf sunning themselves on tourist day. Above Left: A collection of Pioneer's fads and fashions. Opposite Page, Top: Inga Davis "Putting on the Ritz." Opposite Page, Middle Left: Teresa Lyddane sitting pretty. Opposite Page, Bottom Left: Bumper Stickers — automobile fashion.

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Above Right: Joe Gronda revealing his other personality. **Above Left:** Kristen Masters creates a stained glass masterpiece. **Bottom Left:** A quiet lunch with friends. **Opposite Page, Top:** Amber Adams and Jim Reeves share good times. **Bottom Right:** Mr. Ichikawa helps eager drafting students. **Bottom Left:** Mike Vanderlei keeps healthy and fit.

PRIDE IN FRIENDSHIP . . .



Top Right: Jim Grzelak and Judy Stark share a moment at lunch. **Middle Right:** A chat between periods. **Above Right:** Nicole Richmond and Julie Knadler show what friendship is all about. **Bottom Right:** Pam Bishop, Mike Lambert and Tyrone Lamar display their delight in being chums. **Opposite Left:** Mike Nedved and Michelle Fitzsimmons deep into their own, special relationship. **Opposite Right:** Friendship standing strong.





Friendship ... an important and indispensable part of the lives of Pioneer students, both in and out of school, is something cherished and highly regarded by most. Where would we be without true friends? They understand our problems and make us laugh when we are down. They call us at the strangest hours and cause us to giggle at just the wrong times.

Treasured friendships are found in teachers, administrators, campus helpers, and finally but most importantly, in other students. Friendship is a giving and taking between two or more people. They are always there, in good times and bad to support or comfort.

In conclusion, friends, true or not, help to build our own personalities, tastes, and values. They play an important role in creating "our own best friends ... ourselves."

PIONEER PRIDE SHINES THROUGH

The 1984 EQUUS yearbook is dedicated to the "Pride of Pioneer." The feature stories found on the next two pages are stories about Mustangs and former Mustangs whom we feel deserve recognition for their talent and accomplishments.

Featured are people recognized not only for their accomplishments within the school, but for their accomplishments in the community as well. To most, Pioneer was the basis for their acknowledged success, and some are, even yet, very involved with Pioneer. Two of these

"Mega Mustangs" are staff members here at Pioneer, Mr. Briscoe and Mrs. Marczak. Both have dedicated their time and experience to add to the uniqueness of Pioneer's faculty and staff. The next two are former students of Pioneer. After they left Pioneer, they used their knowledge gained from school to excel in what they do best.

Therefore, the following two pages serve the purpose of recognizing these people for their achievements.



For eleven years, Mr. Jim Briscoe has dedicated his time and talents to teaching and coaching at Pioneer. A physical education teacher, he also teaches typing and record-keeping. Mr. Briscoe is happy to be on the teaching staff and very much enjoys coaching Pioneer athletes. The people of Pioneer are proud to claim such a valuable person as Mr. Briscoe, who was named the Central Coast Section (CCS) Athletic Director of the Year for 1983. Mr. Briscoe has coached the Varsity Baseball team at Pioneer for the past six years, during which time the team was maintained a winning tradition.

Like other high schools in the San Jose Unified School District, Pioneer became a four year school in the fall of 1982. "With the addition of the Freshman class," Mr. Briscoe says, "the sports program has increased in the number of participants." He feels that school spirit has also increased during the last couple of years. The sports program has suffered the effects of district cutbacks, and Mr. Briscoe does not like the fact that Pioneer athletes have to pay in order to participate in sports. "Some students do not participate in sports because of the financial requirements," says Mr. Briscoe. The sports program, however is still very successful with Mr. Briscoe as the director.

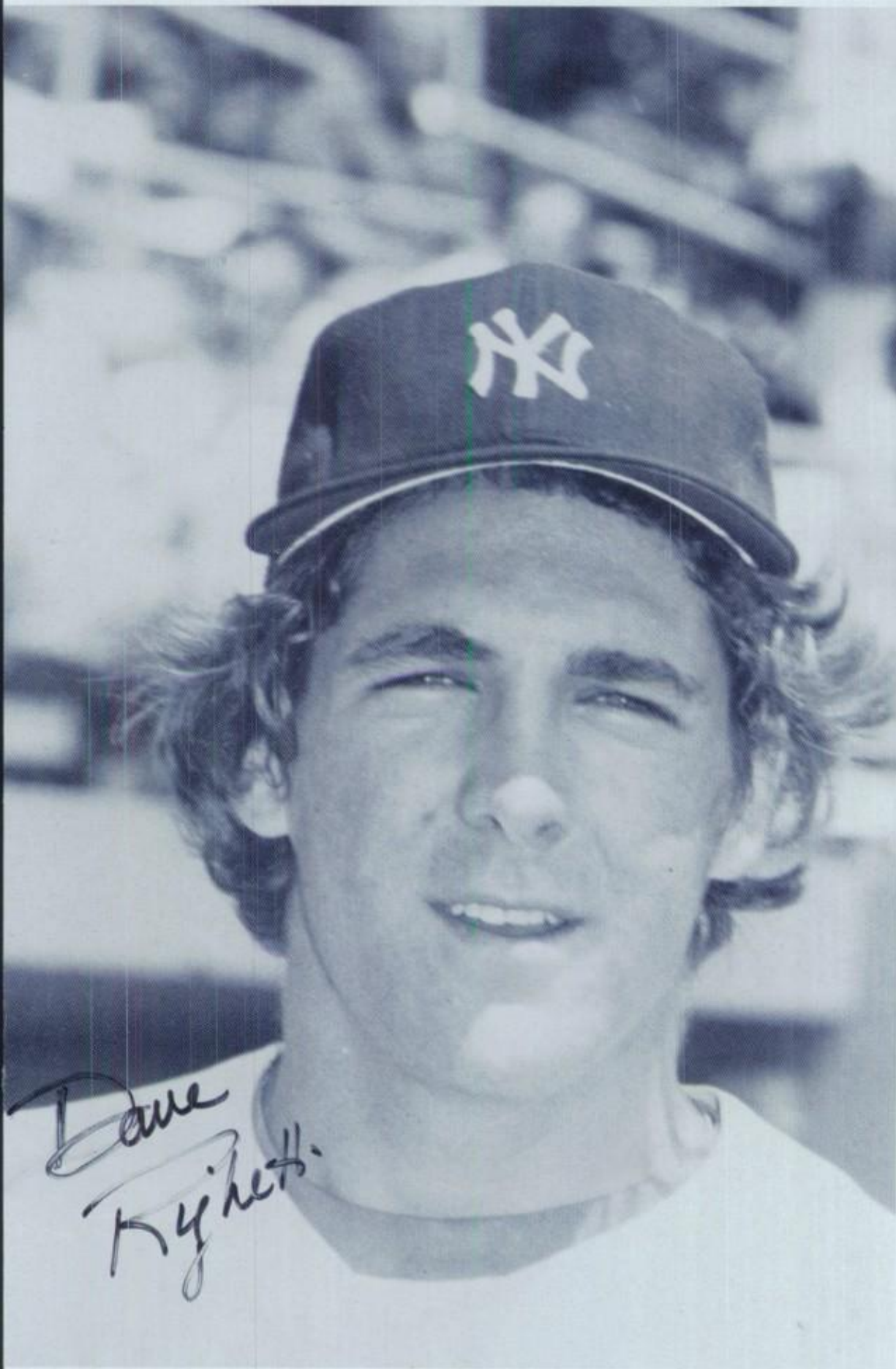
Mr. Briscoe expressed his enthusiasm for Pioneer when he was asked how he liked teaching and coaching at this school. He replied, "The staff here is fantastic and Pioneer is one of the best schools in San Jose. I would not want to be anywhere else."



Pioneer has had some exceptional students during the years. One very talented student, Minuro Taoyama, graduated from Pioneer just this last school year. Mino works for Information Appliance, Incorporated; he is an expert with computers who became fascinated with computer technology at an early age. As a hardware engineer, Mino is involved with computer design and manufacturing. Mino is now attending the University of Santa Clara and majoring in electrical engineering and computer sciences.

During his years in attendance at Pioneer, Mino was a top student who got involved with school activities. During the 1982'83 school year, he was the G.S.B. treasurer as well as editor of the yearbook. He is also a member of the National Honor Society (NHS).

Mino observed that Pioneer school spirit increased greatly from his sophomore to his senior year. Pioneer pride will be reflected in Mino's accomplishments. He is one of our elite who already is very successful in his field of work. Good luck, Mino. We at Pioneer know that you will be prosperous in life.



Dave Righetti is a special Mega Mustang. He is the only one, of the outstanding Mustangs featured on these pages, who is nationally known. Although he has moved his home across the country, his family as well as his most devoted fans are here in his hometown, San Jose.

During the four years that Dave attended Pioneer, he was actively involved with two different sports. His first year at Pioneer, he played basketball for the Mustang team. But as time wore on, baseball became his main concern. However, Dave did not begin to pitch until his senior year. Even then he admits he was "still a little green."

Dave was treated as an average high school student while he attended Pioneer. It wasn't until he moved to New York City and began to pitch for the Yankees that his popularity grew both at home and in other New York Yankee fans. During the 1983 baseball season, Dave pitched a winning no hitter, adding to his list of accomplishments and causing his swarm of followers to increase in size and intensity.

Dave's family still resides in San Jose, in what is now the Willow Glen attendance area. Mr. and Mrs. Righetti follow Dave's career very closely, as would be expected of the proud parents of a professional baseball player. Pioneer also takes great pride in Dave, and we wish him the best!



This year marks the ninth year that Mrs. Marczak has dedicated her time and experience, as well as her patience, to the school bank. Although one only sees the ordinary window out front, inside the bank is a powerhouse controlled by Mrs. Marczak.

From before the beginning of class until well after the end of each school day, she has her work cut out for her. Besides making change for students, she handles accounts for every club and organization at Pioneer, pays bills, minds the school store, and assumes responsibility for everything from selling parking stickers to distributing prom pictures and yearbooks. Just about everything that involves money is handled by this incredible lady. Says she, "I enjoy everyone . . . I wouldn't be here if I didn't enjoy my work."

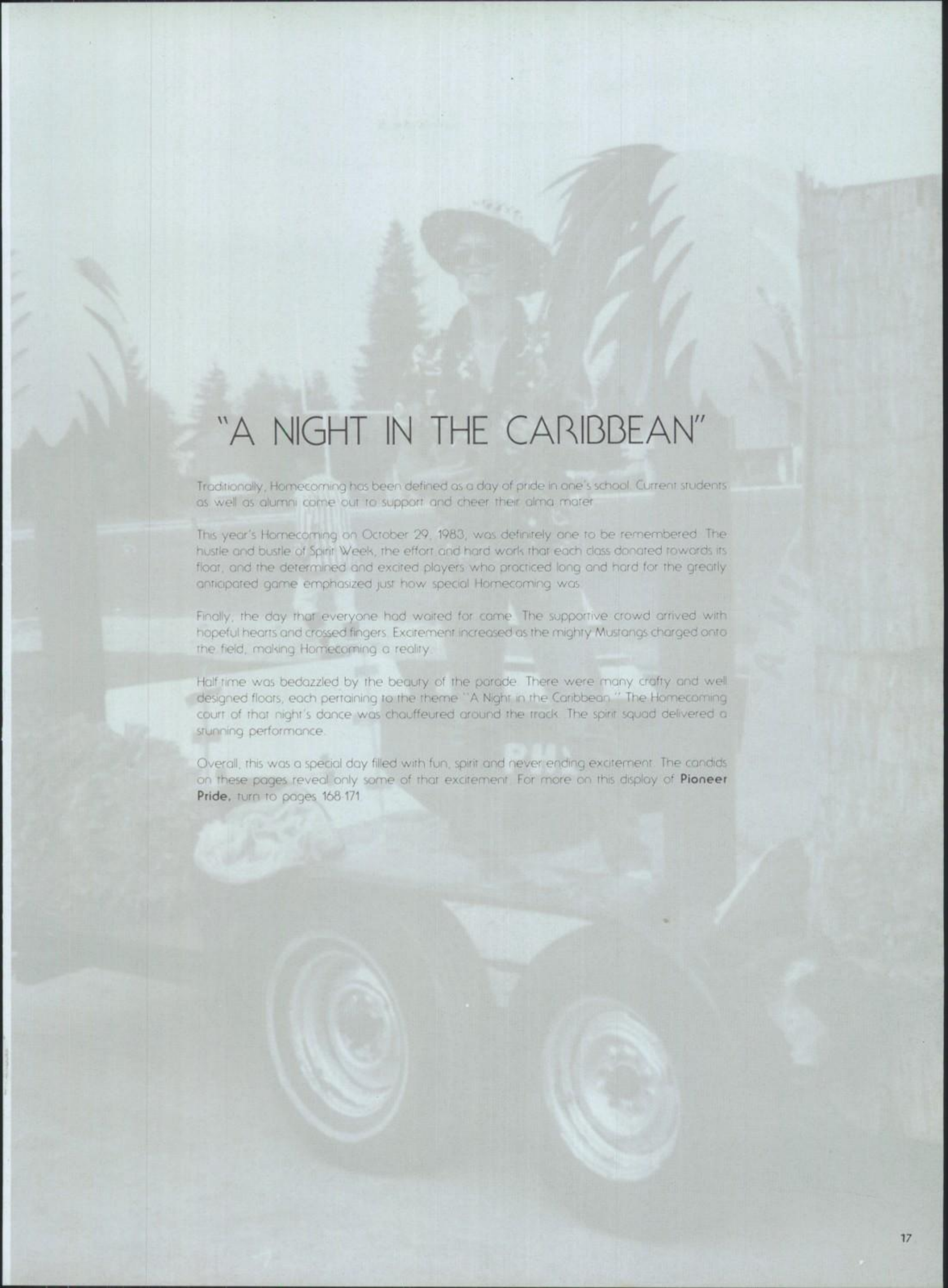
Mrs. Marczak's caring is prevalent in the organization of the bank. To assist in her efficient operation of the bank, the school this year replaced some of her old equipment, which has been around for many years, with new equipment. With the help of her student aides and this new equipment, Mrs. Marczak has been able to continue her great job of maintaining peak productivity in the school bank.

Mrs. Marczak deserves a sincere **THANK YOU** from the entire school for her dedication to the well being of Pioneer. The 1984 yearbook staff, therefore, places her on its list of MEGA MUSTANGS.



Top Left: The Booster Club shows spirit through a first class float. **Top Right:** Getting his second wind, Jim Grzelak prepares to beat the Bulldogs. **Above:** Frosh/Soph cheerleaders Carmela Birtola, Tracey Bliss and Gina Lopez cheer our "Mega Mustangs" on. **Middle:** Sean Dwyer leads the way to a Pioneer victory over San Jose. **Lower Right:** Forgetting the rain, Mustang supporters watch intensely.





"A NIGHT IN THE CARIBBEAN"

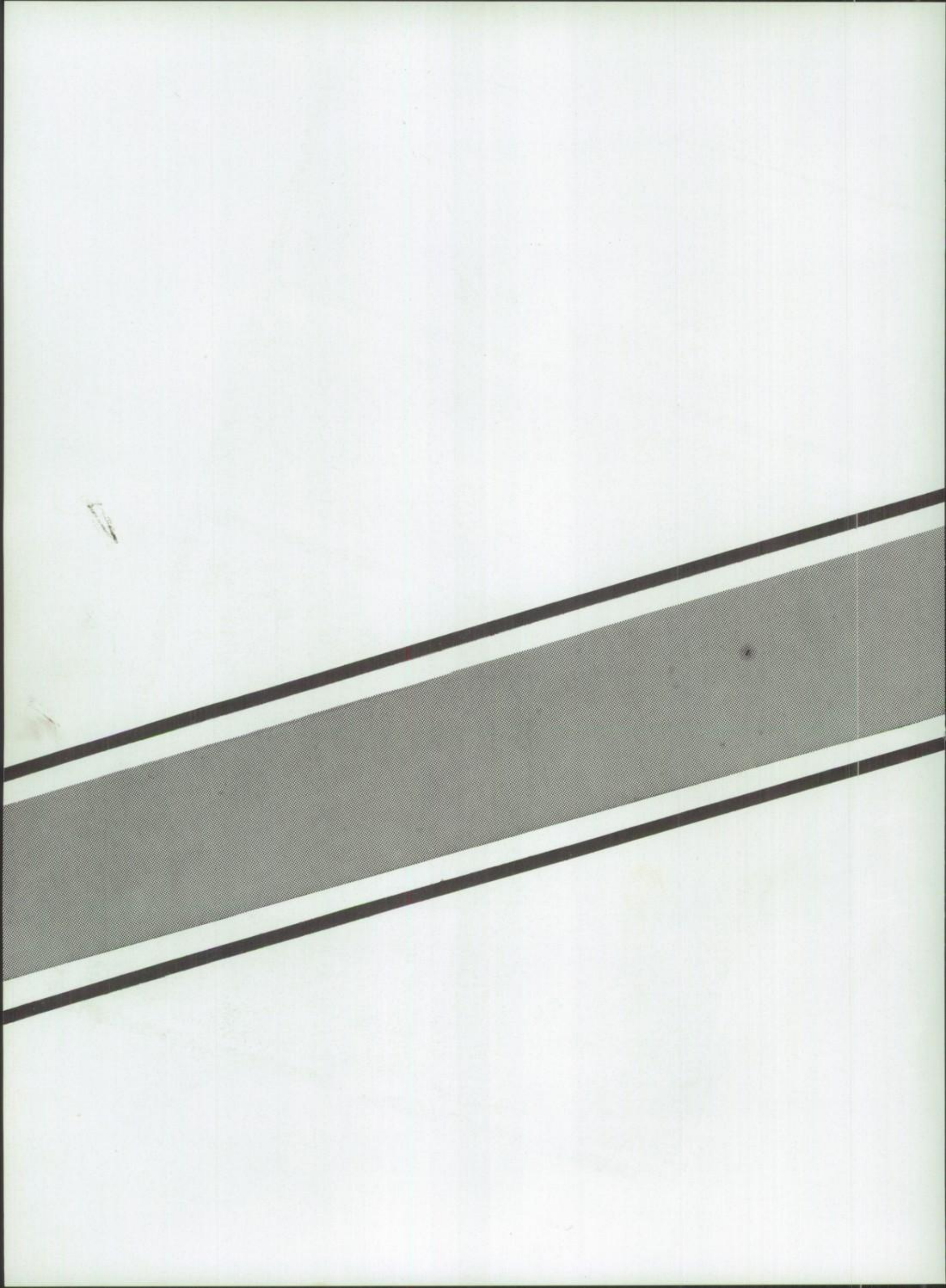
Traditionally, Homecoming has been defined as a day of pride in one's school. Current students as well as alumni come out to support and cheer their alma mater.

This year's Homecoming on October 29, 1983, was definitely one to be remembered. The hustle and bustle of Spirit Week, the effort and hard work that each class donated towards its float, and the determined and excited players who practiced long and hard for the greatly anticipated game emphasized just how special Homecoming was.

Finally, the day that everyone had waited for came. The supportive crowd arrived with hopeful hearts and crossed fingers. Excitement increased as the mighty Mustangs charged onto the field, making Homecoming a reality.

Half time was bedazzled by the beauty of the parade. There were many crafty and well designed floats, each pertaining to the theme "A Night in the Caribbean." The Homecoming court of that night's dance was chauffeured around the track. The spirit squad delivered a stunning performance.

Overall, this was a special day filled with fun, spirit and never ending excitement. The candid photos on these pages reveal only some of that excitement. For more on this display of **Pioneer Pride**, turn to pages 168-171.



Seniors



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Before the school year even began, the Senior Class officers were working hard to plan a successful and enjoyable schedule of events for the graduating class of 1984.

We started our prosperous school year by winning first place for our senior float in the Homecoming halftime show. This win was the result of an enormous amount of work, enthusiasm, and spirit put forth by Senior Class members who aided in the designing and building of the float.

One of the biggest events for the Senior Class is the Senior Ball. In order to insure its success, we have sponsored several fundraising activities. For example, we held a See's candy sale, a two week M&M candy sale, and several paper drives. In addition to the Senior Ball, the graduation trip to Hawaii is an important event. This year more seniors are participating in this activity, making it the most successful trip ever!

The Senior Class officers, who are Colleen Tennant (vice president), Shelly Whiting (secretary), Clarissa Lee (treasurer), and myself would like to express our deepest gratitude to Mr. Church, our advisor, for all the unselfish help and guidance which he has provided during our most important year of high school. In addition, we would like to wish the best of luck always to the CLASS OF 1984.

Julie Alfonso
Senior Class President



President Julie Alfonso



Vice President Colleen Tennant



Treasurer Clarissa Lee

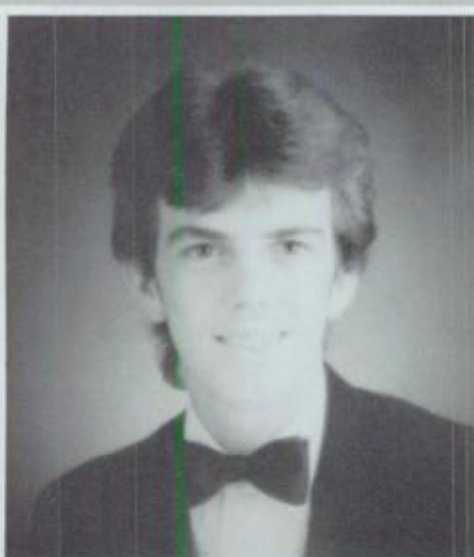


Secretary Shelly Whiting



Standing: Clarissa Lee, Colleen Tennant. Sitting: Shelly Whiting, Julie Alfonso

THE CLASS OF '84



Abila, Tony

Adams, Kirt

Adamson, Nicole



Alfonso, Julie

Activities: Sr. Class Pres, Jr. Class V.P., Soph. Class Pres, Varsity Soccer, Tennis, Varsity Cheerleader, NHS Vice Pres, CSF, Keyettes. **Future Plans:** Attend Santa Clara University.

Aleyn, Julie

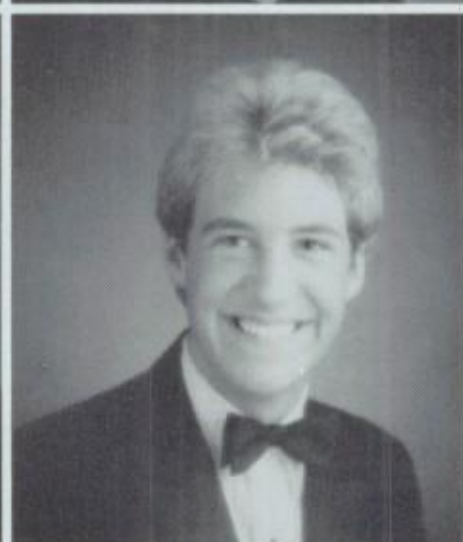
Ardanuy, Charles



Asensi, Victoria

Atoule, Clara

Ayotte, Nancy



Bail, Sam

Baird, Jim

Bagros, Scott

Daker, Kyle

Barone, Gina

Activities: Varsity Lettergirl, Keyette Club, Ski Club. **Future Plans:** Attend college, be a travel agent. Get married and travel!

Barry, Trina



Bauer, Patricia



Birrola, Joseph



Diggest Flirt: Jesse Alejandre, Jennifer Remen



Blair, Carol

Blair, Christina

Boone, Steven



Bowden, Michelle

Bowron, Susan

Activities: SRB, Jr. Class Secretary, Soccer 2 yrs. Volleyball, Track, Ski Club.
Future Plans: Jr. College 2 yrs., then college in L.A. Live in Europe for 2 yrs.

Brickman, Jeff

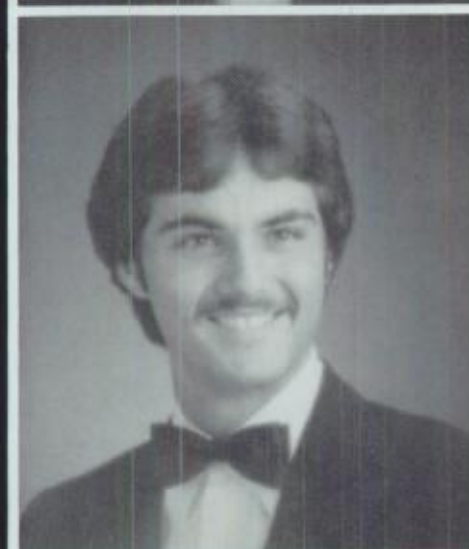


Brookbank, Mike



Brookman, Jim

Most Likely To Succeed: Jeff Kreiser, Inga Davis



Bura, Jeff

Burleson, Christine

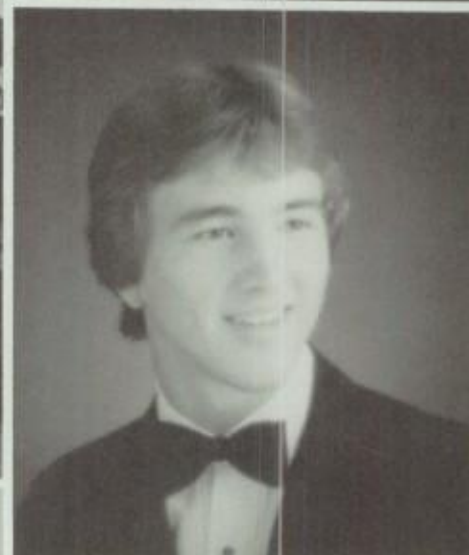
Carboni, Yvonne

Carlozzi, Meg

Cerneka, Jeff



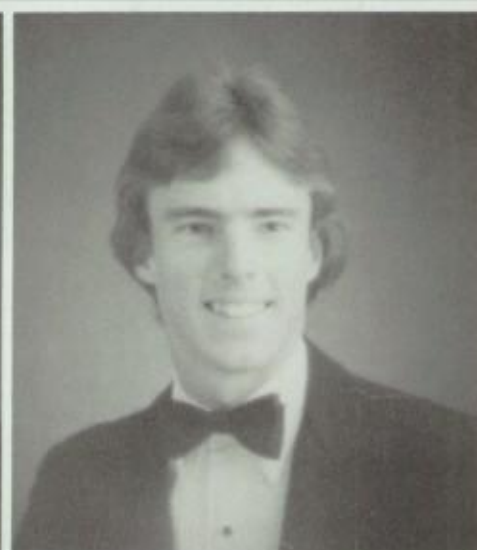
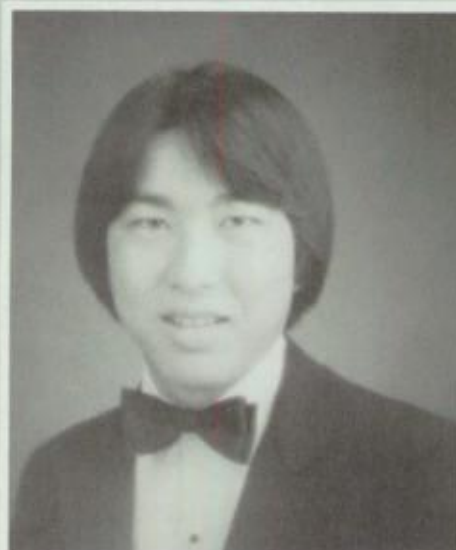
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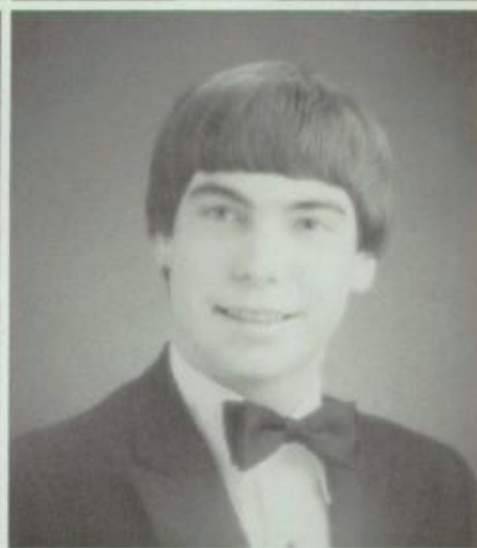
Colonna, Judy



Conri, Lisa

Cort, Robert

Correia, Kathleen





Coules, Andrea

Cox, Sheri

Crosby, Suzanne

Activities: Danceteam, Large 3 yrs. and Small 1 yr. **Future Plans:** Go to college and study to be a lawyer.



Cruz, Denell

D'Ambruso, Gina

Danka, Jo Ann



Best Personality: Craig McIntire, Colleen Tennant



Davis, Heather



Davis, Inga

Activities: NHS, GSD Officer, Marquee Lady, Girls JV Soccer, Friday Breakfast Club. **Future Plans:** College, travel, fall in love, get married and live happily ever after.

Olympic Hopeful...

Bob Sundstrom is an enlightening Senior who has achieved great fame through gymnastics. Bob is a member on the U.S. Junior National Team. He travels up to Stanford everyday to practice with his team. In spite of a busy schedule, Bob has maintained a terrific scholastic record. Bob also attends the Olympic training camp in Colorado Springs, Colorado three times a year.

Bob has done extremely well in competition. Last June, he placed fourth all around in the U.S. Junior Nationals. Bob was also the Regional Champion last year. Considering his gymnastic and scholastic achievement, universities abroad are offering him acceptance. Among these universities are: Iowa, Nebraska, Penn State, Berkeley, Stanford, and Arizona State. Bob is undecided on his future, but his goals are to be on the Senior National Team and participate in the 1988 Olympics.



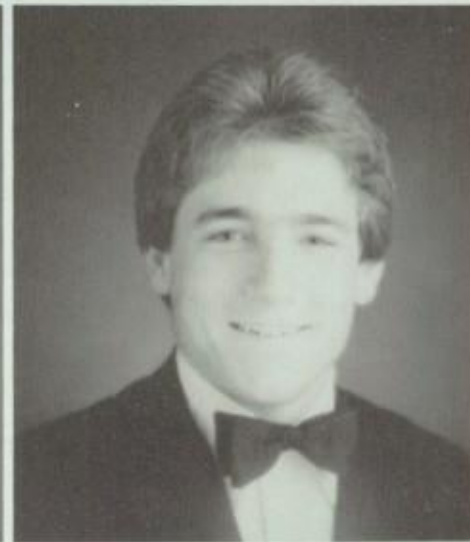
Davis, Janier



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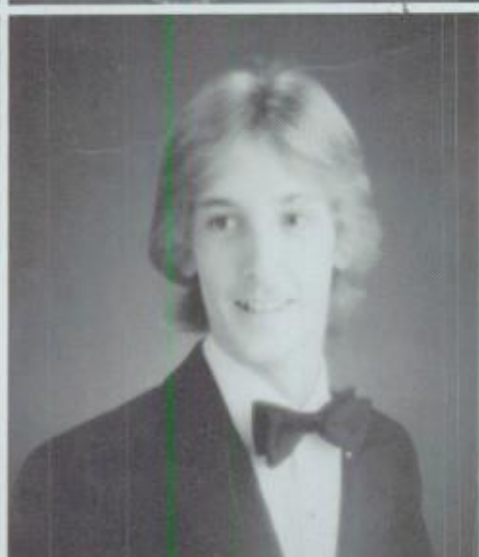
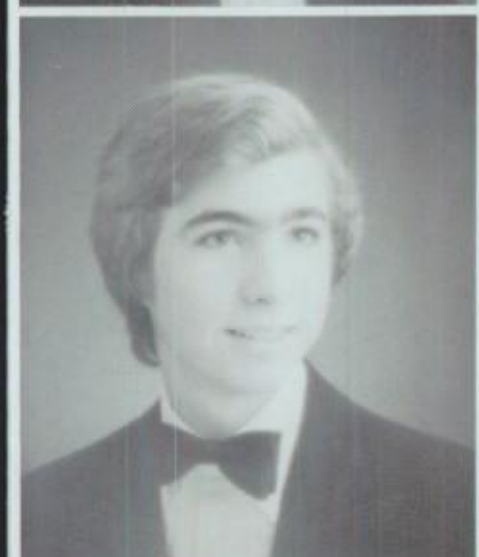
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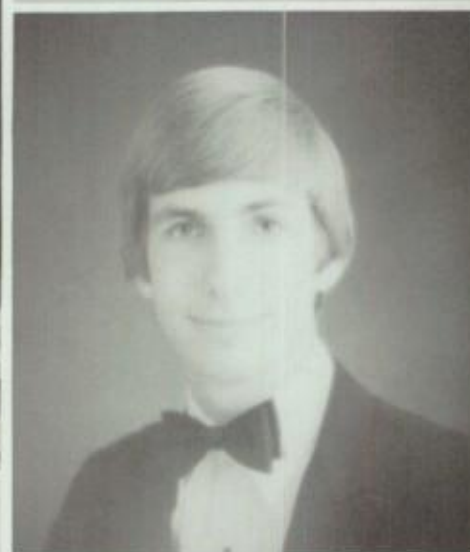
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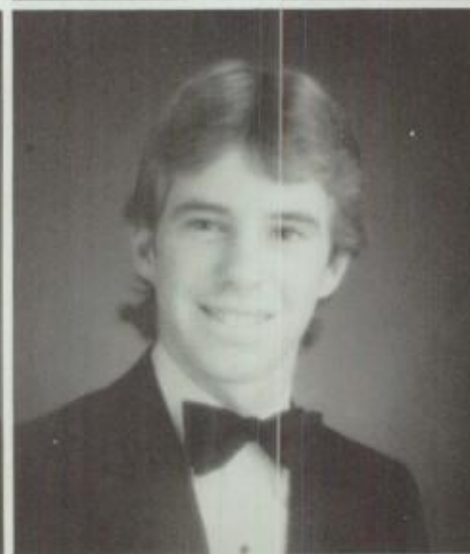
Missy Whiring and Chuck Hofacker share a happy moment.



Gadberry, Ty

Gairan, Richard

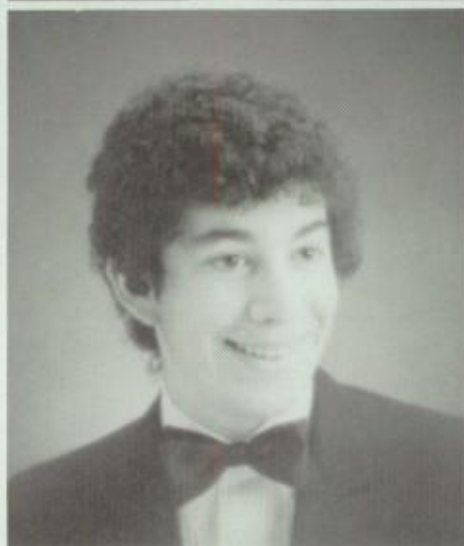
Gallagher, Mike



Garino, Trent

Gargan, Deborah

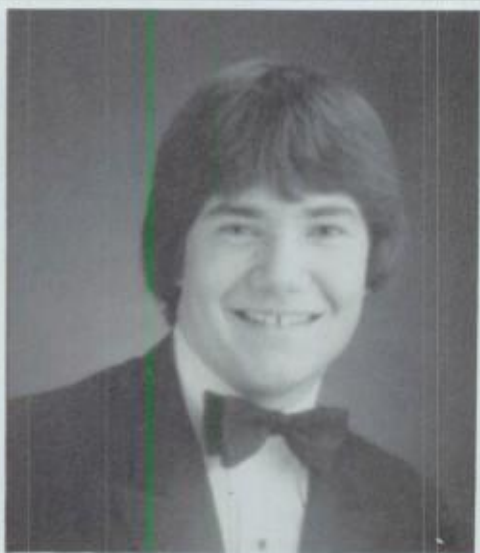
Garland, Lisa



Seniors letting it all hang out.

Garrett, Pat





Gerdes, Cynthia
Gibb, Mike
Gleason, Cody



Glenn, Mary



Glowacki, Alan

Lunchtime gossip section.

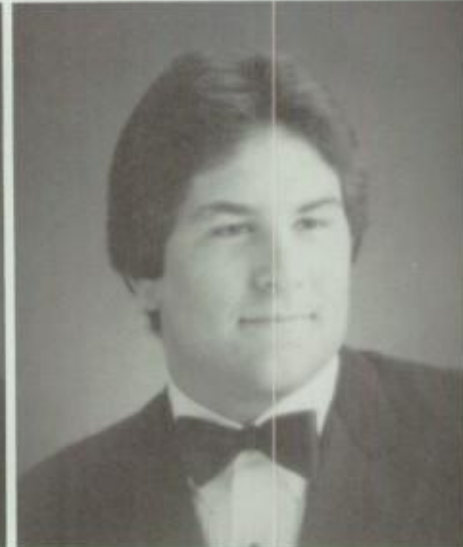
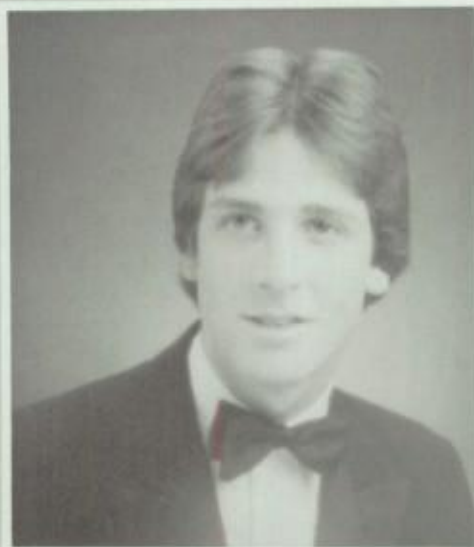


Go, Dill
Goldson, Debbie
Goodfellow, Melissa

Graham, Eric

Granda, Joe

Grzelak, Jim



Guardino, Theresa

Activities: J.V. Volleyball, Basketball, Var. Track, Soccer, Softball, Ski Club, Keyette, Yearbook. **Future Plans:** College, be an Occupational Therapist, meet Sylvester Stallone, be financially well-off.



Gutierrez, Clara



Best Buddies: Rich Vanderlei, Tom Kearney; Inga Davis, Heidi Knox

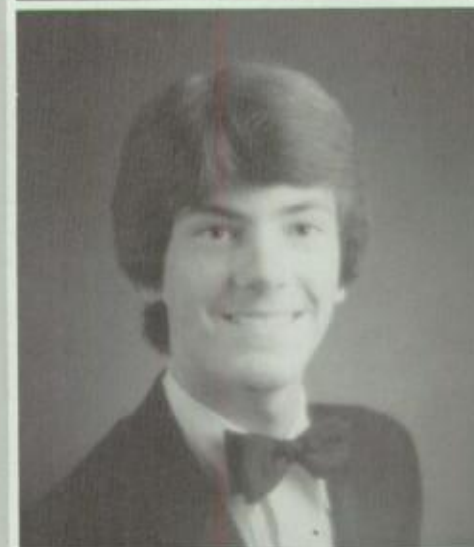
Haines, Mike

Activities: Yearbook 2 yrs., Asst. Editor in '84; LEO Club, JA. **Future Plans:** Attend West Valley J.C., fix up My '69 Chevy, own a Baskin-Robbins store.

Hamblin, Jill

Activities: Junior Achievement. **Future Plans:** Attend San Diego State, travel, become rich, and have a car as a per.

Hamilton, Don





Hanna, John

Hartman, Jon

Haynes, Wendy



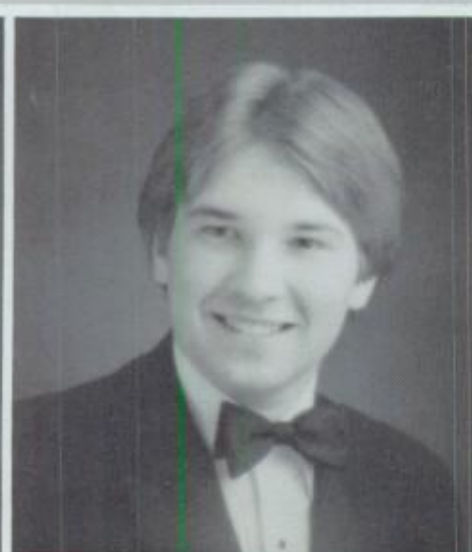
Most Spirited: Debbie Pretto, Jim Grzelak



Heimgartner, Susan



Heinkel, Matt



Heinz, Ed

Heldt, Bob

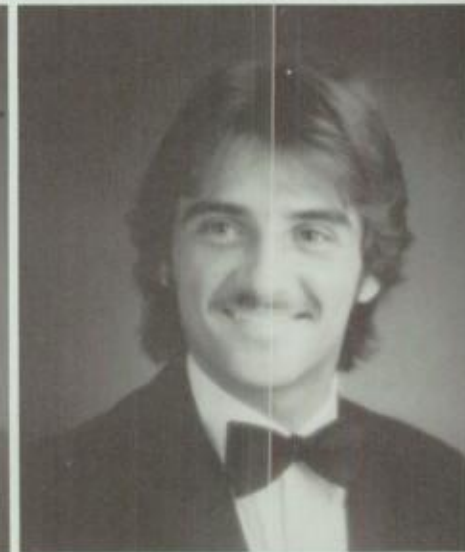
Activities: LEO Club President, NHS and CSF Member. **Future Plans:** Become an Electronic Engineer

Hemphill, Laurie

Henebry, David
 Herrington, Cheryl
 Herrmann, Norynne



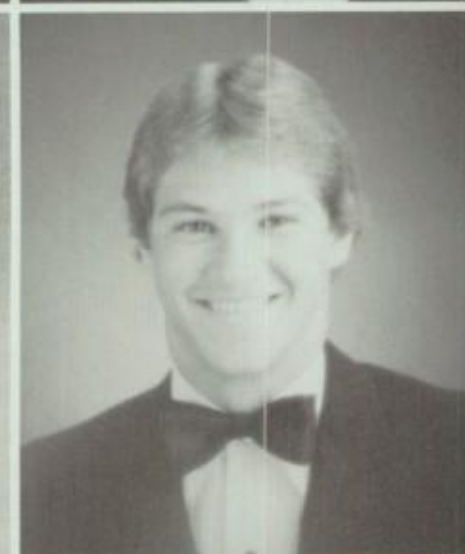
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 Hodge, Clint
Hofacker, Chuck



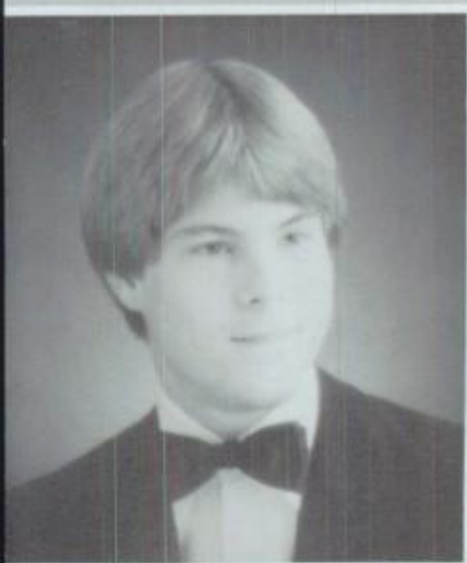
Haffman, Rich



Horton, Linda



School is kick-back for Ron. Legue.



Hudson, David



Hufferd, Jerry



Jerilyn, Cheryl, and Sherrie are in one of those moods.



Hurt, Michele



Ingraham, Natalie



Johnson, Ed
Activities: Varsity Football, LEO Club
Future Plans: College, be a professional
bum.



Jones, Nora



Karbowski, John

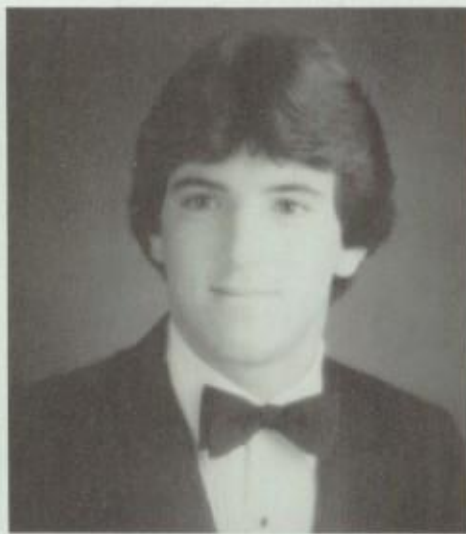
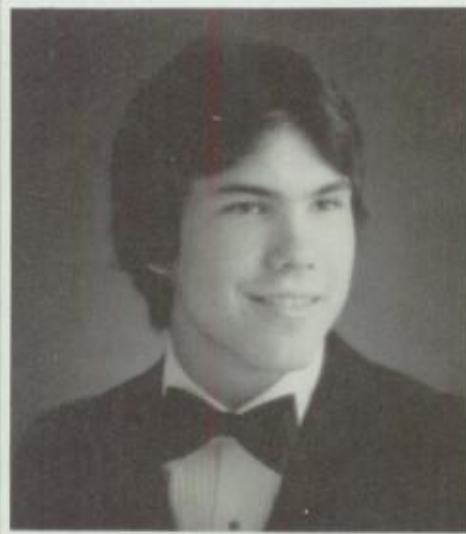


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Kay, David

Keeney, Tom

Keith, Kim

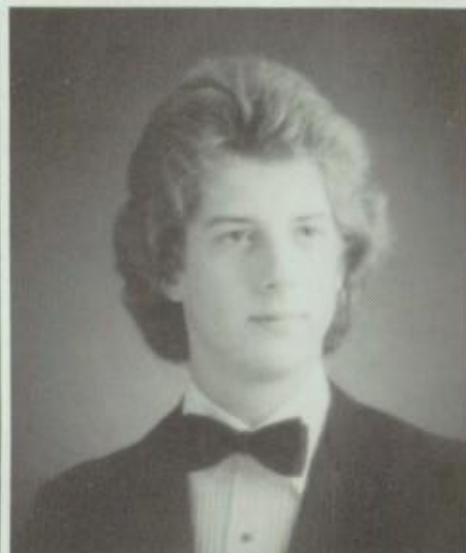
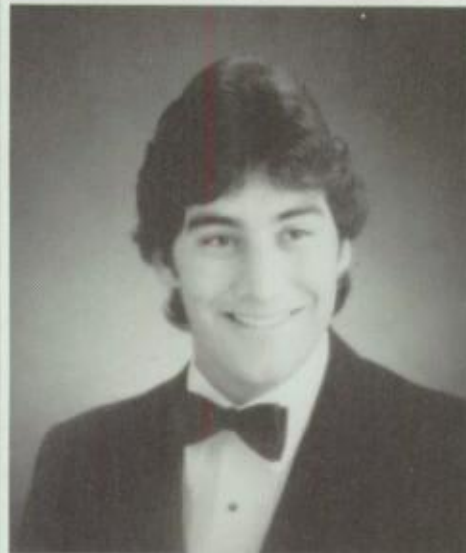


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Kestel, Mike

King, Mima

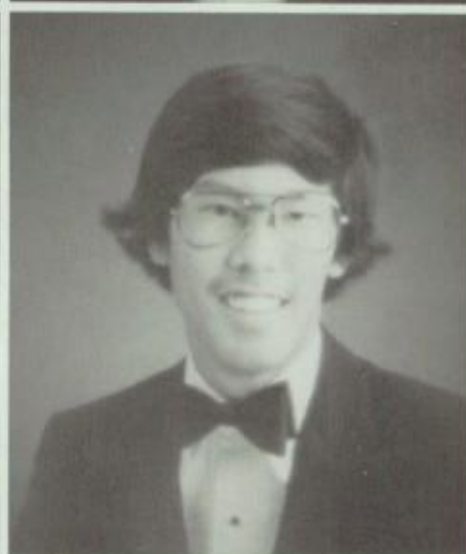
Activities: Ski Club **Future Plans:** to meet Richard Gere, go to college, meet many interesting people.



Kirkpatrick, Sean

Kitazawa, Chris

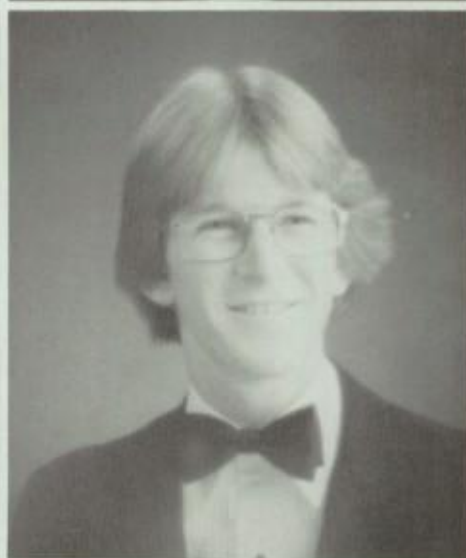
Knoch, Julie

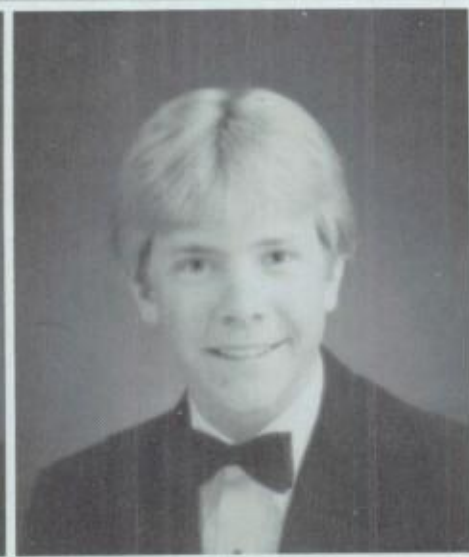


Knowlden, Steve

Kairmaa, Andrew

Kopecki, Joe





Koppel, Dave

Katsuba, James

Kreser, Jeff

Activities: Var. Basketball, Tennis, Soph. Football, X-Country, GSD Pres., Misprint Editor in Chief, NHS, CSF Life Member

Future Plans: Attend Cal Poly S.L.O. and major in Political Science



Certainly Not A "Starving Artist."

Senior Carey McGowan has been interested in art since the first grade. Developing her artistic talent through both school and private art classes, Carey says, "This gives me a chance to practice with different medias, such as watercolor, pen and ink, acrylic, or tempera paint."

Among the subjects she sketches, Carey enjoys sketching people and animals the most. Pictured with her very life like work of actor Richard Chamberlain, Carey is obviously talented at sketching people. Of the works she has done, however, an acrylic painting of a sailboat is her favorite.

Carey's future plans include two years of community college and two years at San Jose State. After school Carey would like to become an illustrator, and with her talent, this should be no problem. Pioneer is proud of this very talented art student.



Lanier, Lisa

Ledford, Krista

Activities: Christian Club, Blood Drive, JA, Bible Study and Choir **Future Plans:** Jr. College 2 yrs., then to a 4 yr. Bible College, Youth Counseling, Major in Psychology/Education

Lee, Clarissa

Lee, Lap



Shyest: Kerry Walking, Eric Shigemoto



Legue, Ronald

Lentz, Keith

Lewis, Laura

Activities: Varsity Basketball, Advisory Committee Secretary, CSF **Future Plans:** Graduate from Brigham Young in Computer Programming/Word Processing.



Licata, Terri

Loiacano, Rose

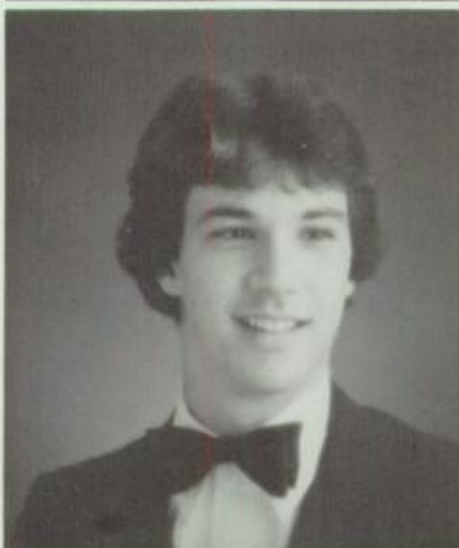
Activities: Dance Team 3 yrs - Small and Large, Wrestling Stats **Future Plans:** College, become a part-time Cosmetologist and full-time Special Ed Teacher.

Long, Marlene



Favorite Teachers: Mr. Church, Miss Sarbaugh

Lozon, Ron





Most Talkative: Darioosh Naraghi, Susie Underwood

Lussier, Caroline



Lussier, Chris

Mackintosh, John

Activities: Soph. Track **Future Plans:** Go to college and become a successful banker

Madsen, Greg

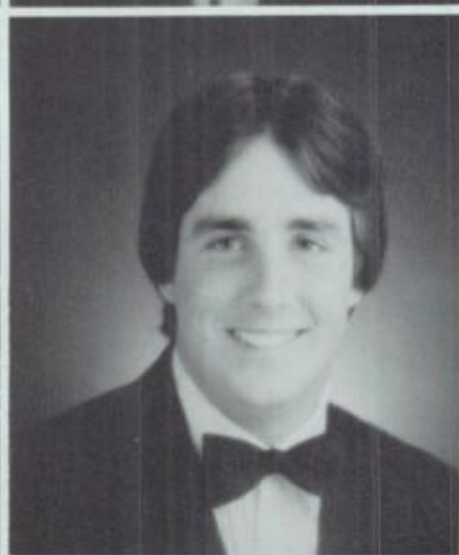


Mohan, Robin

Maines, Chris

Mojerle, Mike

Biggest Jock: Kim Keith, Dan Mustaco



Manley, Scott

Maragoni, Aldo
 Activites: LEO Club, Track Jr. year
 Future Plans: Attend S.J.S.U., Major in
 Accounting.

March, Judy

Martin, Melanie



Martin, Mike



Martinek, Laura



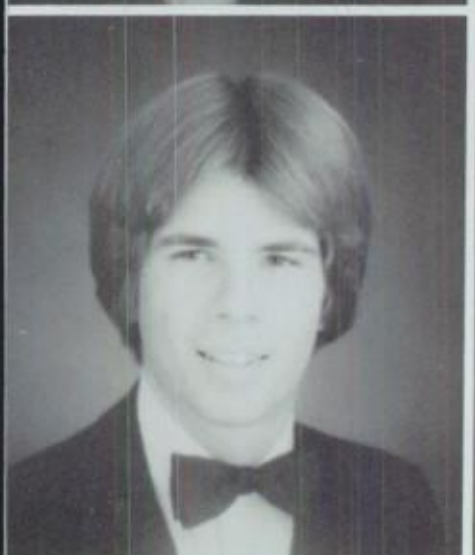
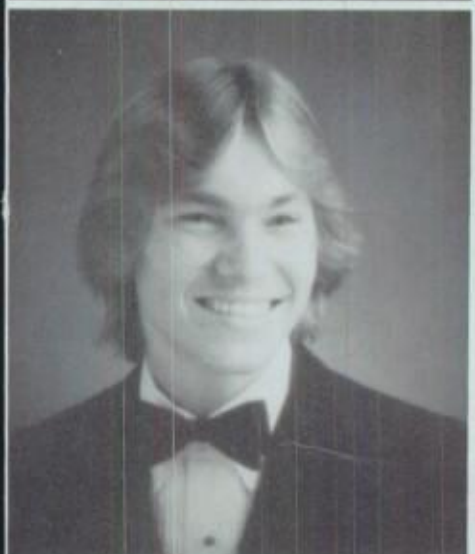
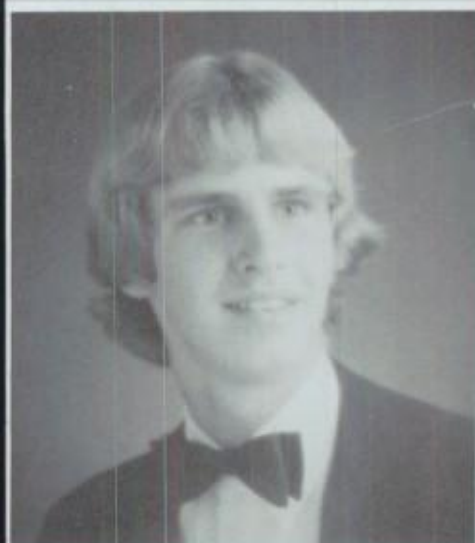
Best All Around: Diana Synder, (Not Pictured) Jim Sarge

Martinez, Paula

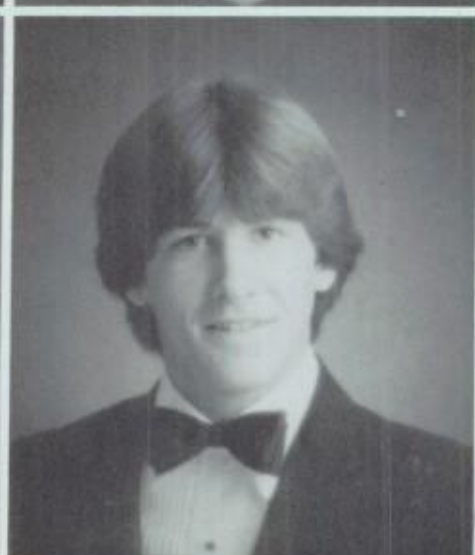
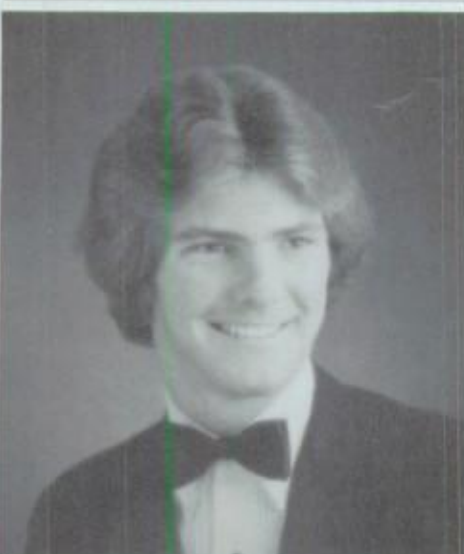
Mashiko, Tina

Masters, Kristin





Best Build: Gary Porper, Jo Ann Danko



Marthieson, Robert

Mauro, Francine

Maxwell, Kevin

McCoy, Dennis

McGowen, Carey

McGrane, Shannon

McIntire, Craig

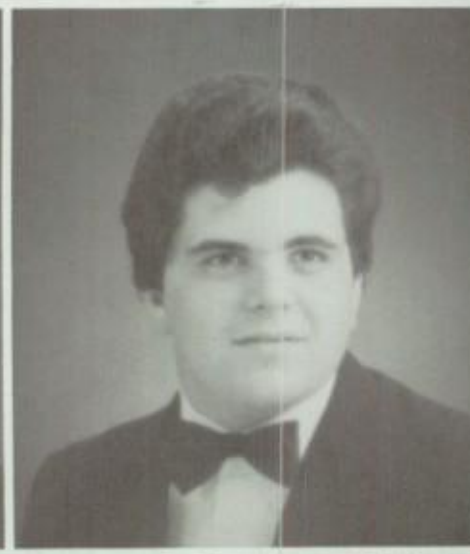
Activities: X-Country, Track, JA Vice Pres
Prod., Yearbook Editor **Future Plans:**
Attend S.J.S.U. with Graphic Arts Major,
Become a Commercial Artist

McPheeters, Kelly

Mercado, Alan

Messina, Nick

Meugniot, Tim



Many of the teenagers who spend their free time after school and on the weekends at Golfland are Pioneer High School students. Golfland offers a variety of entertainment. This facility has a golf course, an expanded arcade, and a new waterslide. Some students come to Golfland to play the newest and most challenging arcade games, and other come to play a round of golf or take a plunge down a waterslide. Most importantly, teenagers have an opportunity to meet their friends and have a good time.

This year, the "Senior Bests" were taken at Golfland. The student nominees of each "Senior Best" category decided what area they wanted their picture to be taken. The yearbook staff offers a special thanks to Golfland for the use of their facilities.



P.H.S. student becomes a victim of the dragon.

Moore, Barbara
Activities: Keyette Club, CSF 2 yrs
Future Plans: Attend U.C.S.F., a career in Nursing.

Moore, Jill

Morrow, Janette

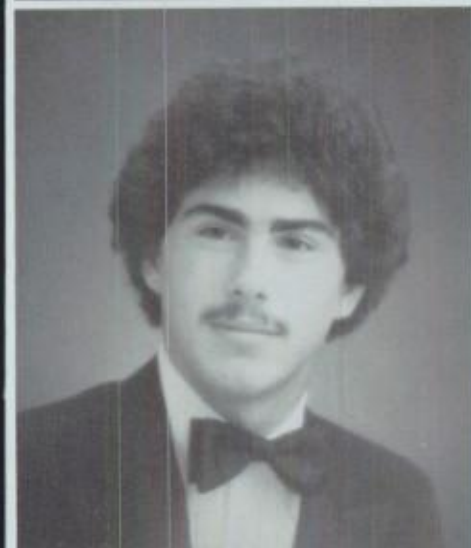




Moya, Chris

Mueller, Mike

Murphy, Bob



Mustaco, Dan

Myers, Sherie

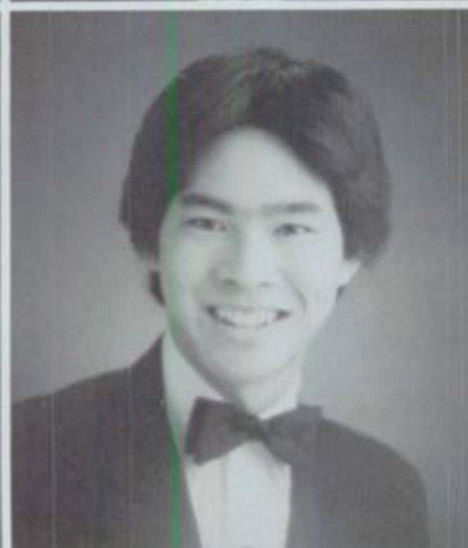
Noraghi, Darioush



Nasman, Christian

Neuroth, Bob

Nichols, Shannon

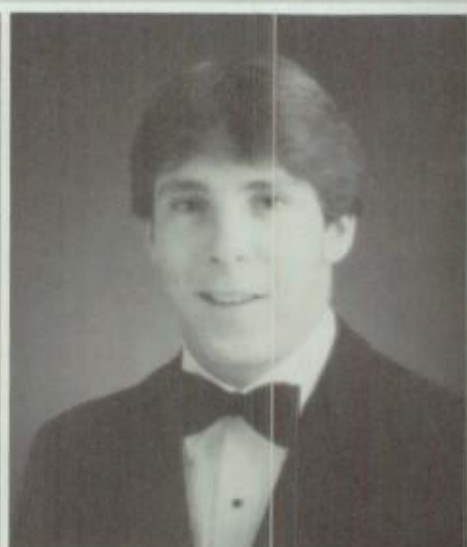


O'Dell, Pat

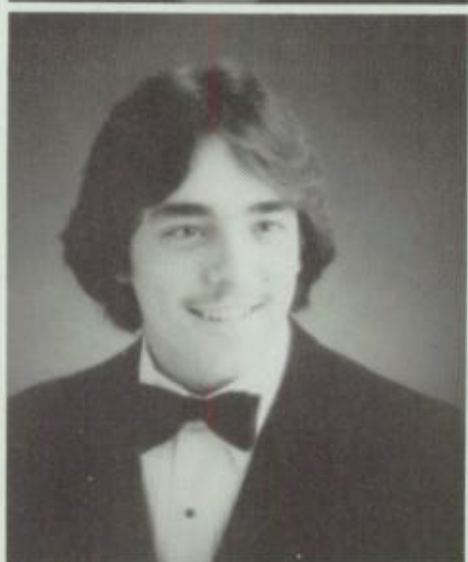
Ogawa, Howard

Olah, Greg

Olah, Mazy
 Olivera, Tiffany
 Olson, Don



Orepezo, Kevin



Orsborn, Bill



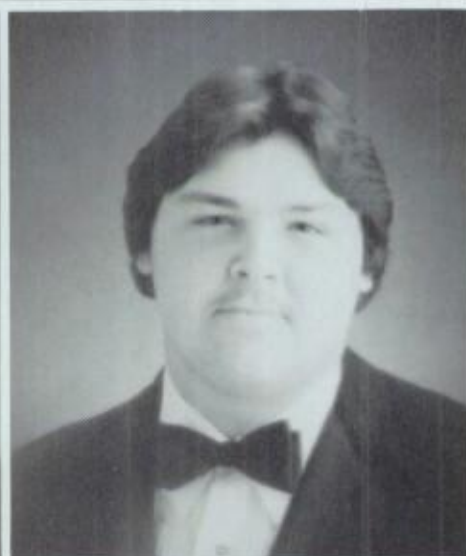
Prettiest Eyes: Jim Reeves, Anne Provost

Orwell, Diana
 Palmer, Donna
 Pankratiz, Paige





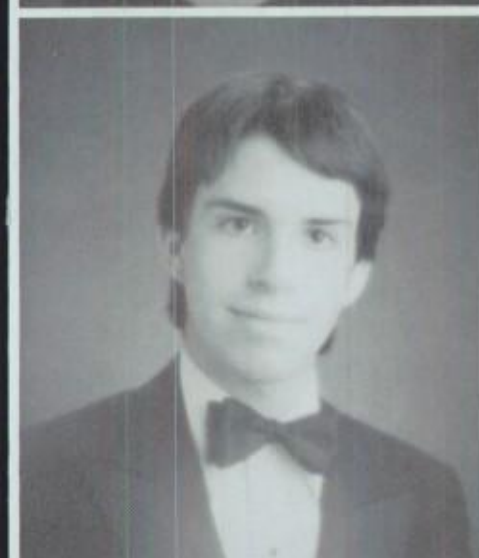
Pearson, David



Pecoraro, Toni

Pendleton, Frank

Pereida, Chuck



Peterson, John

Phillips, Cheryl

Pickett, Chris



Poretti, Debra

Pounds, Donna

Pretto, Debbie

Prime, Mike



Provost, Anne

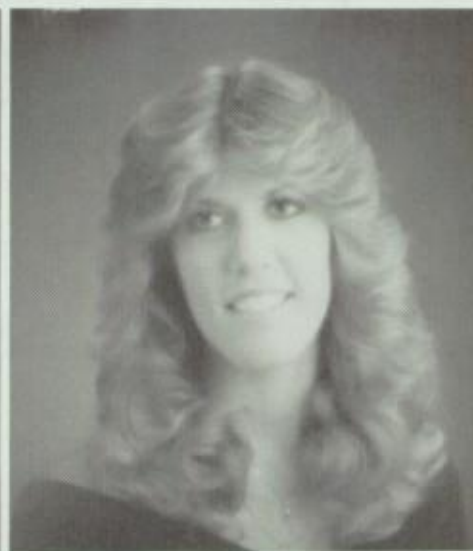


Best Smile: Scott Bajros, Patricia Delagarza

Purtle, Pamela



Rebhan, Kathy



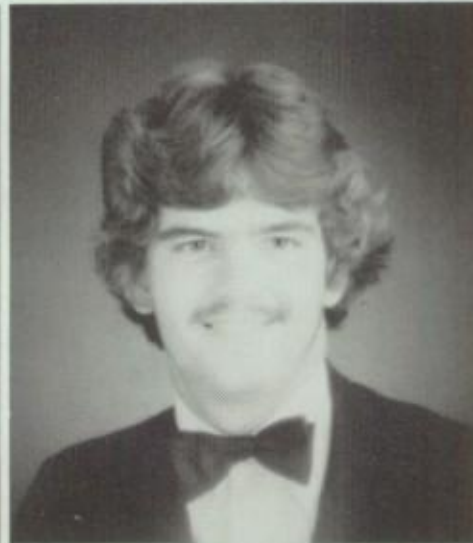
Remen, Jennifer



Reynoso, Lupe



Rharry, Chris



Rhinesmith, Kim





Richards, Sandra

Activities: Varsity Volleyball 2 yrs., JV Volleyball 1 yr. **Future Plans:** Graduate from Heald Business College, become an Accountant.

Rickman, Melissa

Rook, Richard



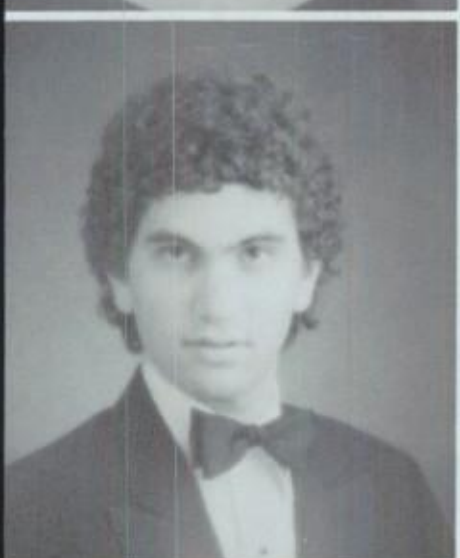
Rostamizadeh, Pam

Roulier, Debbie

Ruffner, Bill



Rumsey, Karhy



Soltzman, Jeff

Most Talented: Lisa Smith, Bob Sundstrom (Gymnastics)

Samm, Jennifer

Sanchez, Cindy

Sanchez, Henry



Sandoval, Tonya

San Filippo, Anna

Activities: F.S. Cheerleader 1 yr., Varsity Cheer 1 yr., Spirit Commissioner, Keyette Club, Ski Club. **Future Plans:** Attend Cosmetology school, get married and have kids.

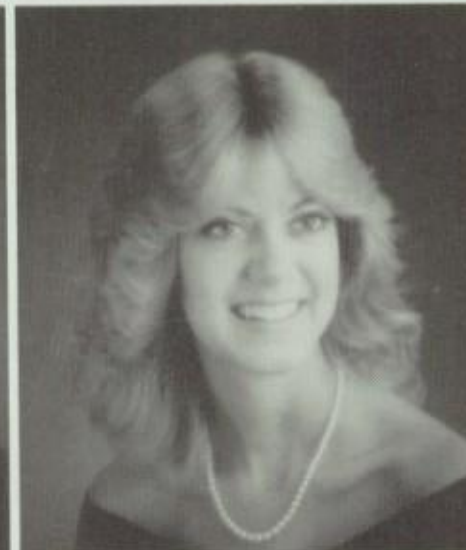
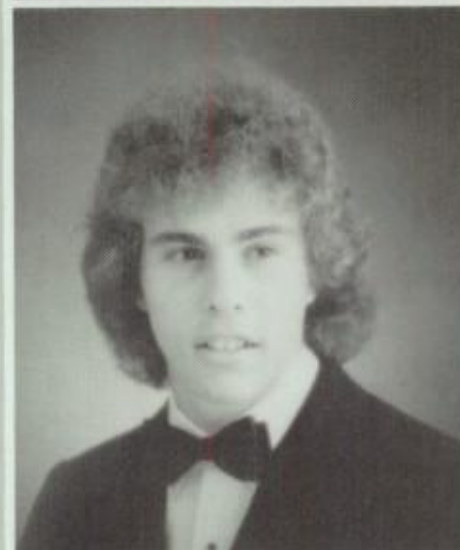
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Sargent, Matt

Sarringhaus, Jerilyn

Sarringhaus, Robert

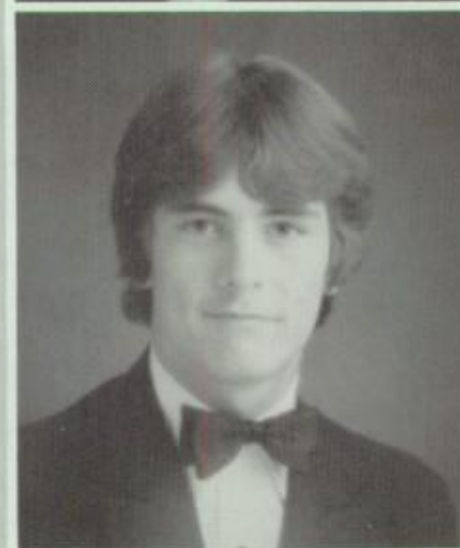


Schuster, Robert

Scow, Kim

Sellarole, Michelle

Activities: Varsity Songgirl and Cheerleader, Class Clown.
Future Plans: Attend S.J.S.U.





One of Mike Prime's hobbies is working on his '69 Nova.

Scholastic Success . . .

Mike Prime is a student of outstanding scholastic accomplishments. He is a top scholar with a 4.0 grade average and has been honored with the American Legion Award and the Scholastic Achievement Award. Mike is a member of the 1984 Santa Clara Youth Hall of Fame and also a CSF member for 4 years.

In addition to being a top scholar, Mike is also a fine athlete. He has been on the soccer, track, and cross-country teams at Pioneer. Mike's favorite sport is soccer and his favorite professional team is the Earthquakes of San Jose. Mike has played on the Rowdies Soccer Club of the C.Y.S.A. since 1979. His team has participated in tournaments in Canada and Hawaii. Mike's hobbies include backpacking, working on his '69 Nova, and skiing. His favorite musical group is "The Police."

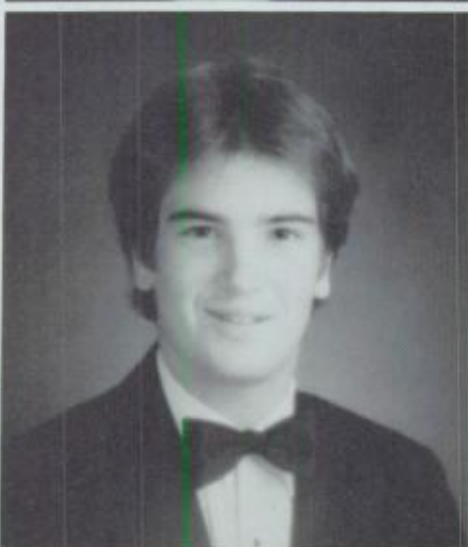
Mike plans to study engineering at U.C. Berkeley or Stanford and is interested in becoming a mechanical engineer. With such a strong academic background, Mike is sure to be a success in any career that he chooses. Pioneer is proud to have had such an excellent student.



Shepard, Jeff

Shigemoro, Eric

Sieverson, Kristi



Solak, Joel

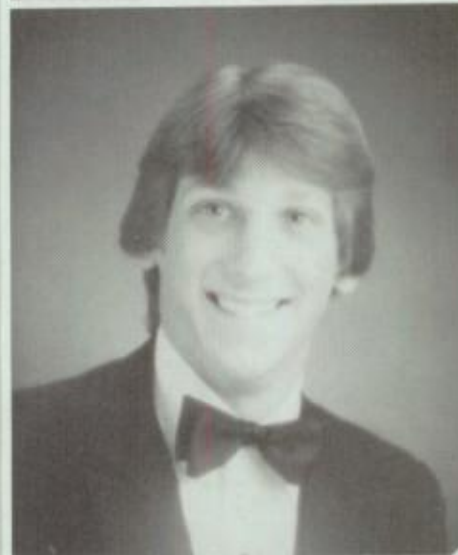
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Smith, Lisa

Snow, Cheryl



Stanton, Brian

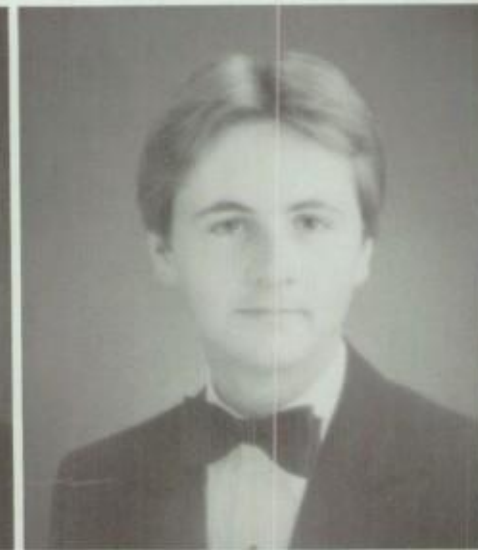
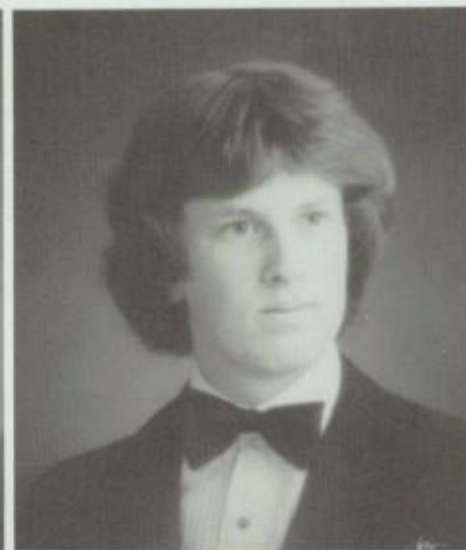


Only five more minutes!

Stephenson, Pat

Stephenson, Tom

Strifmutter, Carl

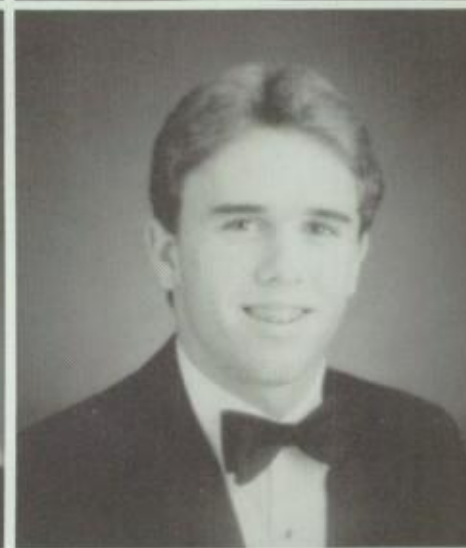


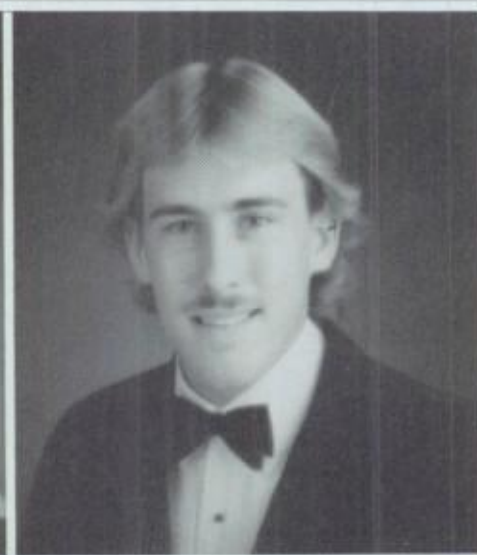
Sullivan, Kelly

Sundstrom, Bob

Swartz, Caroline

Activities: Youth Group, Music, Christian Club, Blood Drive **Future Plans:** Spend Freshman year in Sweden; U.C. Santa Barbara, Youth Ministry, have 12 children!



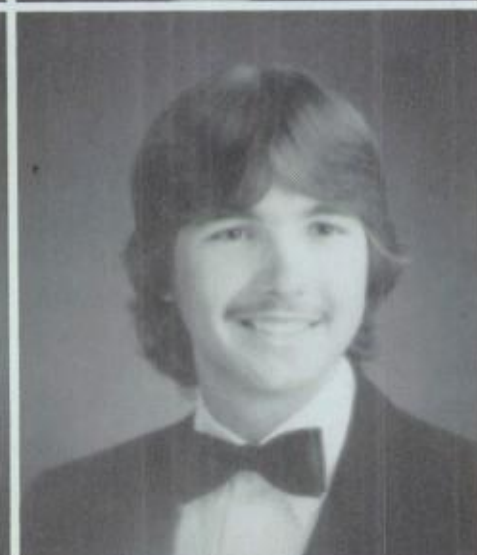
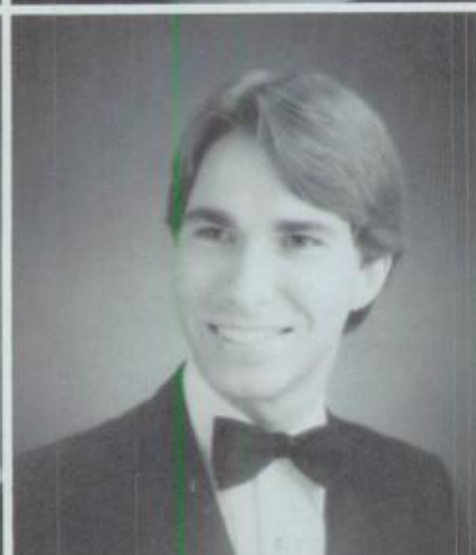


Taber, John

Talpas, Lisa

Activities: Girls J.V. Basketball, Ski Club, GSB Treasurer, Keyette, JA President CSF NHS, Yearbook Staff **Future Plans:** Attend S.D.S.U., become financially secure and live in Europe.

Tenczar, Matt



Tennant, Colleen

Tewart, Mike

Activities: Math Club, Officer, LEO Club, **Future Plans:** Graduate from U.C. Santa Cruz, career in oceanography.

Thenor, Roland



John Hird enjoys the weather.



Thiel, Doran

Activities: Ski Club, Young Life, Blood Drives, Stargirl Basketball **Future Plans:** Attend San Jose State, major in Medical Technology



Thomas, Matt

Thurman, Barbi
Activities: CSF, Blood Drives, Ski Club.
Future Plans: C.S.U. Fresno, Become a
 Physical Therapist, get married and raise
 a family.



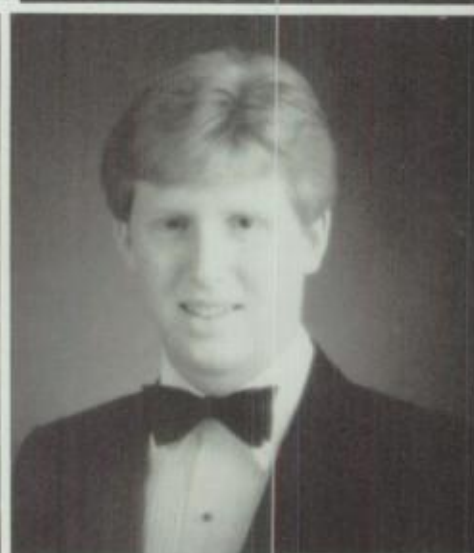
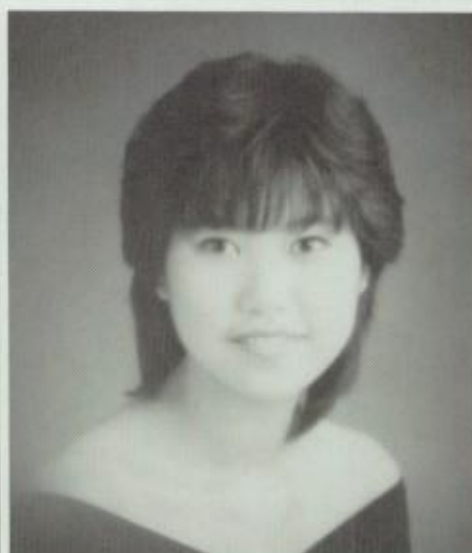
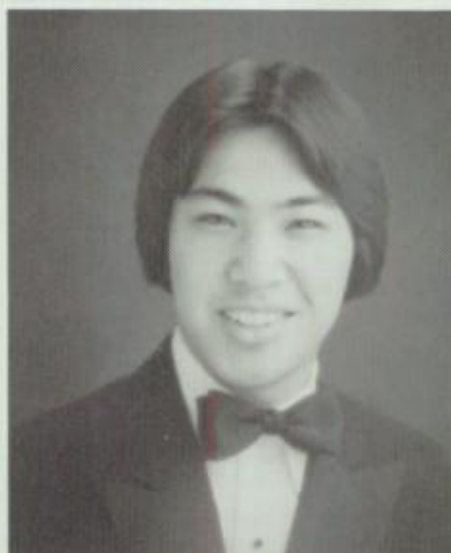
Class Clown: Rick Weiss, Michelle Sellarole



Tomisaka, Scott
Activities: Track 3 yrs., LEO Club.
Future Plans: College, major in
 engineering, and make lots of money.

Tran, Lihn

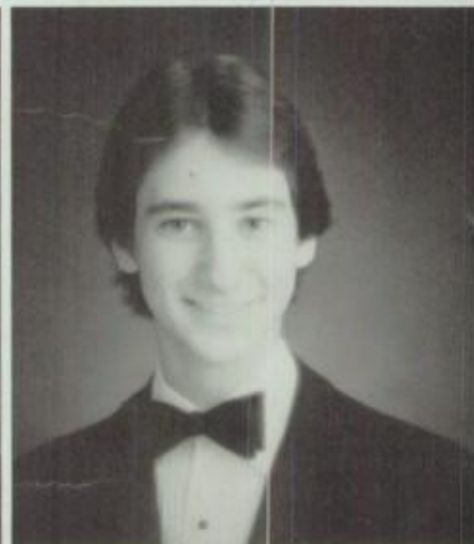
Transue, Thad



Underwood, Susie

Unger, Andrea
Future Plans: Attend West Valley for 2
 yrs, transfer to Cal Berkeley, majoring in
 Law. Career in Politics.

Utz, Kevin
Activities: LEO Club, Treasurer, Math
 Club, CSF Lifetime Member. **Future
 Plans:** Attend U.C. Santa Cruz or
 Stanford, a career in Computer Science.



Vanderlei, Richard

VanWoerkom, Nancy

Venezio, Kimberly

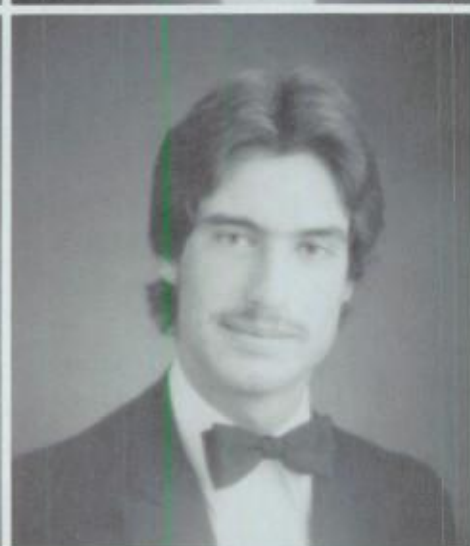




Viskovich, Michelle

Vogler, Kurt

Walking, Kerry



Watkins, Anne

Weiss, Rick

Weitenstein, Julie

Activities: Soph Class Treasurer, SRB, CSF Varsity Basketball 2 yrs., Soccer, Keyette Treasurer, Pres of NHS. **Future Plans:** College, become a lawyer, make lots of money, get married and have 2 kids.

Most Fashionable: Meg Carlozzi, Sylvester Gordon

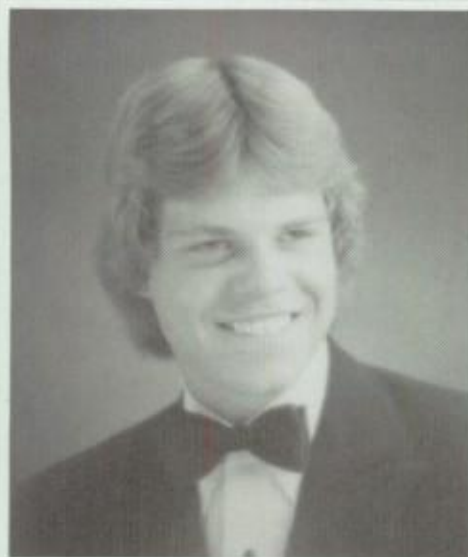


Welsh, Tracy



Wendler, Scott

White, Bob



Whiting, Missy



Activities: Varsity Lettergirl, Keyettes.
Future Plans: College, become a Physical Therapist, get married, have lots of kids.

Whiting, Shelly



Activities: Varsity Lettergirl and Songgirl, Keyette, Senior Class Secretary, J.A.
Future Plans: College, become a Dental Hygienist.

Wichman, Heidi

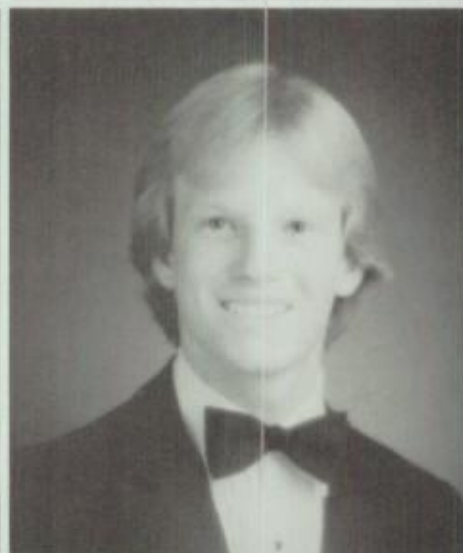


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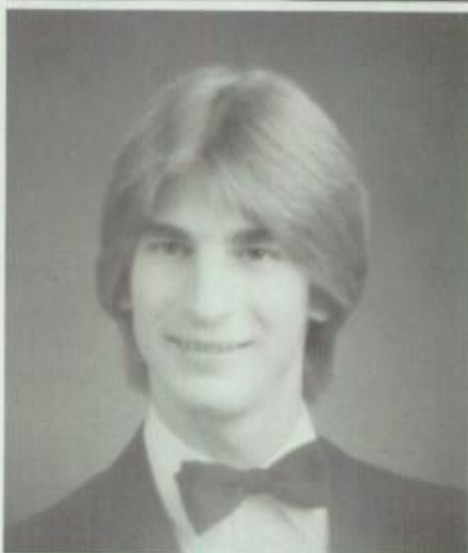


Activities: Diving. **Future Plans:** To come back to America (Foreign Exchange).

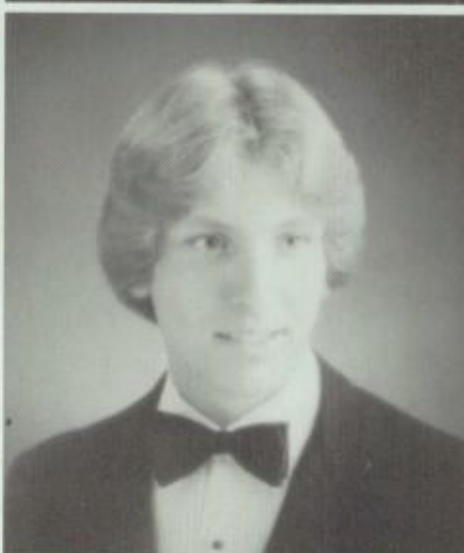
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Williams, Dave



Williams, Tony

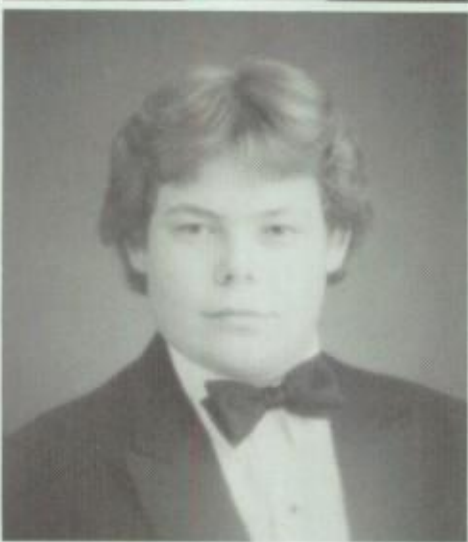


Wilson, Kim



Activities: CSF, SRB, Keyette, Varsity Lettergirl 2 yrs., Blood Drive. **Future Plans:** Attend U.C. Santa Cruz or S.J.S.U., become a Physical Therapist.

Woehr, Tom

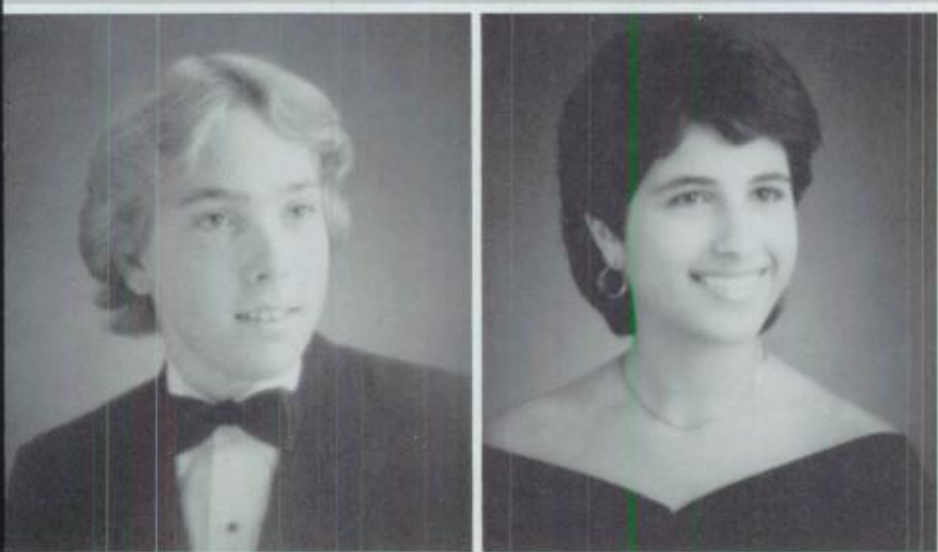


Woodman, Steve



Yares, Jim





Yung, Todd

Zarnegar, Karla

Activities: Soccer, Swimming, Badminton, NHS, Keyettes, Blood Drive, Vice Pres of Marketing in JA, CSF, SRD.

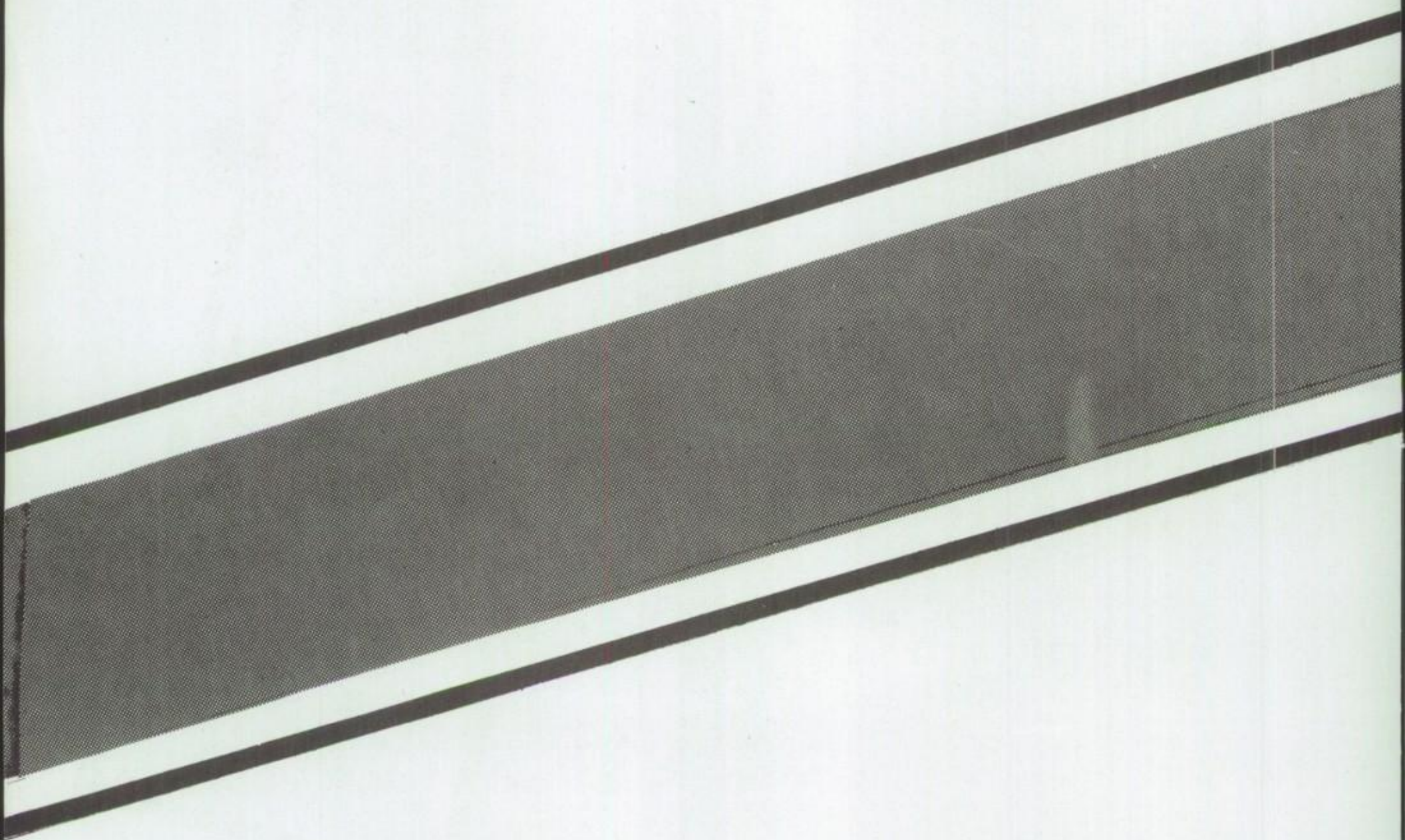
Future Plans: College, be a Universally famous pianist and a part-time Engineer

CAMERA SHY

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 Siri, Michelle
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Administration



THE TOP MUSTANG

Being principal of a school allows one to get to know the campus very well. Indeed Mr. Ed Barrows knows Pioneer High School inside and out. As principal, he makes it his prime concern to be aware of both current happenings and future activities at Pioneer.

Seen around campus every day, Mr. Barrows exhibits great concern for the well being of Pioneer students and faculty. Lunch period often means a stroll around the quad as this caring man displays his interest in the personalities at Pioneer. Close contact with his vice principals keeps Mr. Barrows directly involved with activities, curriculum, attendance and guidance. With all this, he is never too busy to take an interest in the concerns of students, parents, and faculty.

Even though the outcome is not without hard work and dedication, positive results occur under the influential direction of Mr. Barrows. Because of his persistence and drive, Pioneer acquired many computers and implemented a computer program spanning several disciplines. The student body has directly benefitted from this effort since those who can work with computers are in great demand in the business world today.

Mr. Barrows has also been greatly involved with improving communication between students, parents, and teachers. He has worked tirelessly to bring the faculty and Pioneer Parents Club in closer contact for the benefit of students.

Thanks to Mr. Barrows' careful selection process, we have a great number of fine and talented teachers. Not only do Pioneer students learn from these teachers, but they also learn from Mr. Barrows. His presence at football games shows one aspect of his Mustang spirit. His concern with the well being and physical condition of every athlete is recognized by both coaches and fans and is greatly appreciated.

When the school grounds are not being used for school sponsored activities, Mr. Barrows is able to let other organizations use the facilities. The gym, cafeteria, and the sports fields are rented or requested by clubs or groups that would benefit from their use.

Yes, Mr. Barrows truly knows Pioneer High School inside and out.



Mr. Barrows



VICE PRINCIPALS RIDING HIGH



Mrs. Robinson

As Vice Principal in charge of curriculum, Mrs. Robinson works very hard to insure that each student receives the proper classes to prepare him for graduation. This long and tedious chore begins each year before the doors of Pioneer open to new and returning students. The end of summer marks the biggest part of the work load, and it doesn't let up until June, when school is dismissed.

Mrs. Robinson is responsible for evaluating a student's courses from previous years as well as developing programs for the current year. By understanding the strong points of each class and knowing well the requirements of each student to graduate and move on to college, she is able to schedule students according to their individual preferences and needs. Although a great effort is made each year to give students the classes of their choice, there seems always to be an abundance of students who, for one reason or another, wish to alter their class schedules. This year the number of students seemed overwhelming. It was, however, handled very well. Mrs. Robinson is a woman of many talents and fulfilled her role to the best of her abilities. The first few weeks of school went by, and students began to accept and adapt to the schedules given them.



Mr. Laird

Mr. Laird is a fantastic new addition to the administrative staff here at Pioneer, and he has been assigned many difficult tasks. Because of his experience with students needing extra attention, he was placed here as a guidance specialist. He has worked at many other schools in the valley, including John Muir, a feeder school to Pioneer. So far, Mr. Laird, what would seem an endless sea of new faces, may have a few familiar ones, too.

The sophomore class of 1983-'84 is fortunate to have such an enthusiastic man to "guide" them through their second year at Pioneer. As Mr. Laird is helping these students, they are also helping him become familiar with the problems and faces of campus.

Ms. Borg

Another new addition to Pioneer's administrative staff for the 1983-'84 school year is Vice Principal Sharon Borg. Although new to Pioneer, Ms. Borg is anything but a novice at her craft. Before joining the staff here, she served as a vice principal at Castillero, one of Pioneer's feeder schools.

Ms. Borg directs her guidance duties to the graduating class of 1985, or this year's junior class. She also handles the extensive, and often aggravating, task of keeping students in attendance at school and in their respective classes. Additionally, she serves as the administrator for the computer program and has devoted much of her time and effort to insure its success. These are difficult projects, but Ms. Borg has done an excellent job in all of them. Pioneer is indeed fortunate to have her.



Mr. Ridley

Mr. Ridley is our Vice Principal in charge of activities. Because this job is such a difficult one, it is very important to have an attentive and dedicated administrator with whom students, faculty, and community can easily communicate. These qualities, together with his fantastic organizational skills, help Mr. Ridley keep the broad spectrum of activities at Pioneer under control.

Students, as well as fellow faculty members, often turn to Mr. Ridley for advice, permission, and planning for school activities. Dances are presented under his direction; class officers and their plans are overseen by him; fundraisers for clubs are coordinated by his office; and extra-curricular activities, in general, are upgraded through his efforts.

Not only is Mr. Ridley seen by students throughout the day, but each morning he and his three lovely "voices of Pioneer" awaken sleepy students to announce scheduled events which will soon take place.

An asset to Pioneer, Mr. Ridley works daily with—and for—students. His smiling face and kind ways keep us going. He is greatly appreciated.

PIONEER'S SECRETARIAL STAFF . . .



Mrs. Garner

Pioneer's secretarial staff is an accomplished one. It is largely due to their expertise that our school is so well organized and always runs smoothly. This staff includes Mrs. Finch, attendance clerk; Mrs. Gessell, principal's secretary; Miss McCardell, office secretary; Mrs. Marczak, bank clerk; Mrs. Garner and Mrs. Mongelluzzo, registrars, Mrs. Frost, book depository clerk, and Mrs. Jibby, office secretary.

These secretaries are much needed and little acknowledged. They carry a heavy work load and always seem willing to help students, parents, or faculty in anyway they can. We are lucky to have them here at Pioneer.



Mrs. Marczak



Mrs. Jibby



Hey! What's the deal?

ALWAYS AT WORK!



Mrs. Finch



O.K., which one did it?



Above: Mrs. Gessell, Below: Miss McCordell



Mrs. Mongelluzzo



Mrs. Frost



CHECK 'EM OUT AT THE LIBRARY



Rosemary Walker
Librarian

The Pioneer High School Library/Media Center gives Pioneer students helpful information in many areas. The library carries ample materials including old and new editions of books, magazines, newspapers, and encyclopedias. The library is a very quiet building on campus where homework and research may be done before and after school or during free periods with a pass.

Librarian, Rosemary Walker, and Library Clerk, Juanita Salciccia, keep our library well-organized with all books arranged precisely. They are always willing to help students or answer any questions.

Eunise Ramirez, the Career Center Clerk, helps maintain neatness in the library/Media Center. Working mainly in the career corner, she answers questions concerning job opportunities, college entrance requirements, scholarships, and training in the armed forces.

These three ladies put in many long hours of hard work which greatly contributes to the success of the library each year. All three, together with their student aides, are truly appreciated.



Marlen Long helps Brian Stanton with his studies.

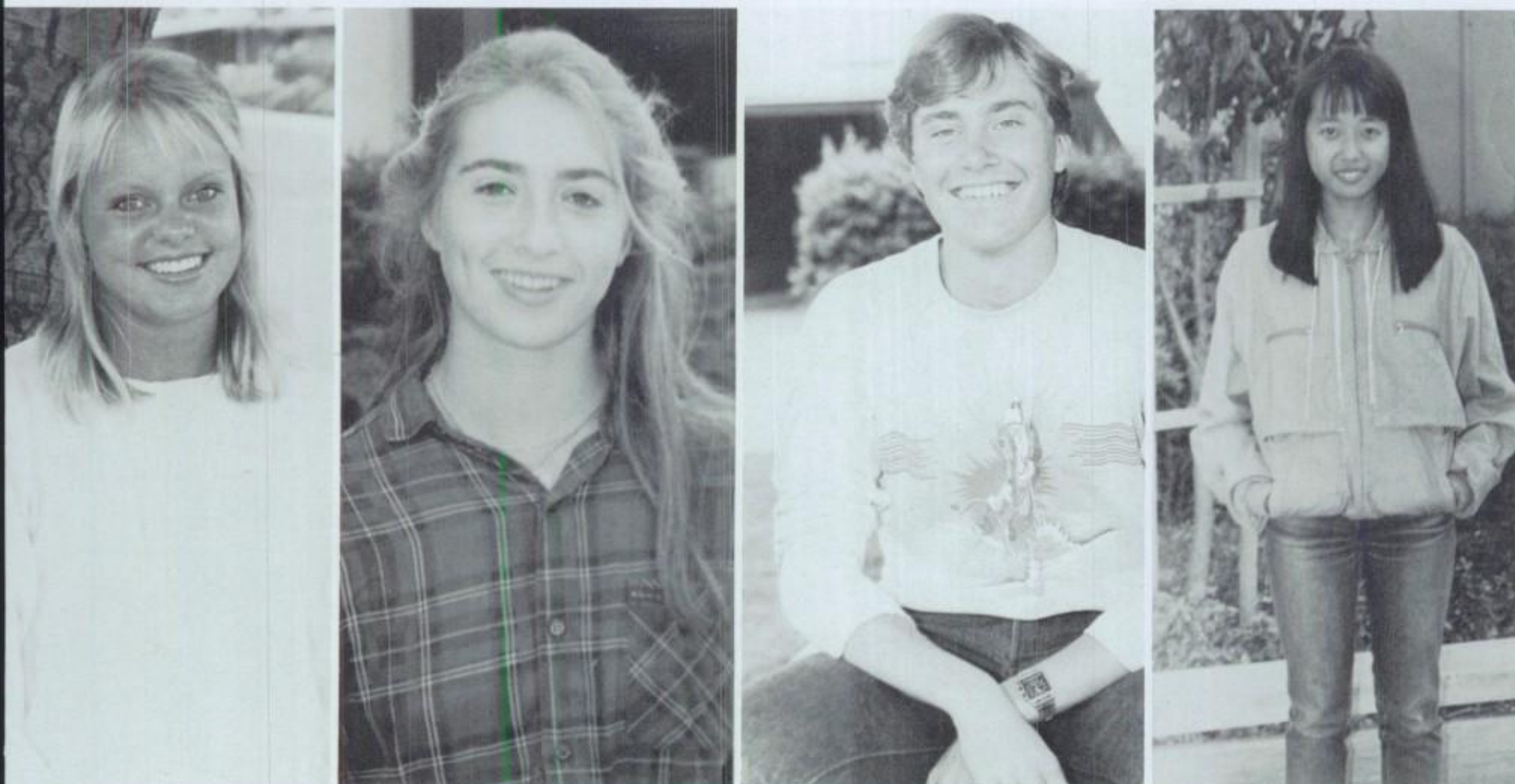


Eunise Ramirez
Career Center Clerk



Juanita Salciccia
Library Clerk

A HOME AWAY FROM HOME



Maria Wiklund, Victoria Asensi, Christian Nasman, Lap Lee

Maria Wiklund, an eighteen year-old Senior here at Pioneer, is an exchange student from Orebro, Sweeden. Maria loves it here and is very happy with the people she is staying with because they treat her just like a member of their family. She came here to experience a version of the "American Way" of living; eating hamburgers, speaking English fluently, and having fun! Maria is very involved at Pioneer and took part on the swim team this year. When asked if America was what she expected, Maria proclaimed, "Yes, I think so . . . and I expected a lot, so be proud Americans!" Maria is very well-liked here at Pioneer and attends many afterschool activities. Some interesting things she has seen during her stay have been San Francisco, Los Angeles, the beaches, and the Police Concert.

"Dear Mustangs-Jagalskarer,

I want everyone to know that I'm very happy to be here to share this year with you. Everyone I have met has been so nice and I appreciate it alot. I've had so much fun this year, but the only bad thing about my trip is that I'll be going home soon. I wish to thank you all for taking care of me. A special thanks goes to my mom and dad who made my American dream come true; I love you. I wish all of you Pioneer People the best of luck in the future" Love, Maria

Victoria "Vicki" Asensi a senior from Spain, loves it here in San Jose. Vicki Came to America to learn about the people and their culture.

She wanted to experience another way of life in order to appreciate what she has in Spain, and mainly, to learn to speak English better. Although she says the family she is living with as well as her new friends are wonderful she still misses her own family and friends in Spain. Vicki likes the schools here more because there are more activities, sports and subjects to choose from. She played on the school's tennis team and was a member of both the Keyette and Ski clubs. Everything in America has been interesting to her because it is all so different. When asked her favorite food, Vicki said with a smile "PIZZA"! She said she heard many different things about California, but that it was different from what she expected. In Spain she says the customs are more traditional but ours are more practical. We asked Vicki to describe America in one word; her reply was, "I can't, to describe America in one word is to limit it, and I feel that America is limitless."

"I would like to thank all the people who helped me. I would like them to remember me always, as I will them." Love, Vicki

Christian "Kribbe" Nasman is a seventeen year-old senior from the country of Finland. Christian was in San Jose for four weeks during the summer and decided after his visit that he would like to come here for a longer period of time. He felt that being an exchange student in America was a very good opportunity and decided to try attending an American school during his senior year. Christian enjoyed the

family that he stayed with and said he couldn't have had it better. He said that it was great here in America because he learned something new each day. Christian grew up in a big city like San Jose so he said he really only missed the peace and clean nature of Finland. Christian was a member of the Varsity Basketball team at Pioneer this year and enjoyed it very much.

"I'm very grateful to all the various people who've helped me this year. I've enjoyed my stay at Pioneer a lot. Everyone has been so very nice to me, both students and teachers. This may have been the best year of my life. It's been great. Thanks for everything." "Kribbe"

Another foreign exchange student here at Pioneer is Lap Lee, a senior from Hong Kong. Lap came to America because of the good development of computer science. She plans to study Computer Engineering on university level. Lap has seen many of the fun attractions that California has to offer, such as Marriotts Great America, Disneyland, and Universal Studios. Two of her favorite American foods are hamburgers and pancakes. She said they were very nice. Lap says that people wear more make-up here. Also there is no Halloween in Hong Kong. She misses her friends and family greatly, especially during this, her senior year. Lap said that America was all she expected and that she will remember most of her experiences here in America.

PIONEER'S CUSTODIANS AND COOKS



Above: Groundsman Ernest Navarro

Above right: Leroy Schwafel

Right: Ben Spano, Webster Southall, Carlos Gonzalez, and Ira Hoffman

Lower right: Margaret Dekruef, Hazel Monalbano, Nancy Romiro

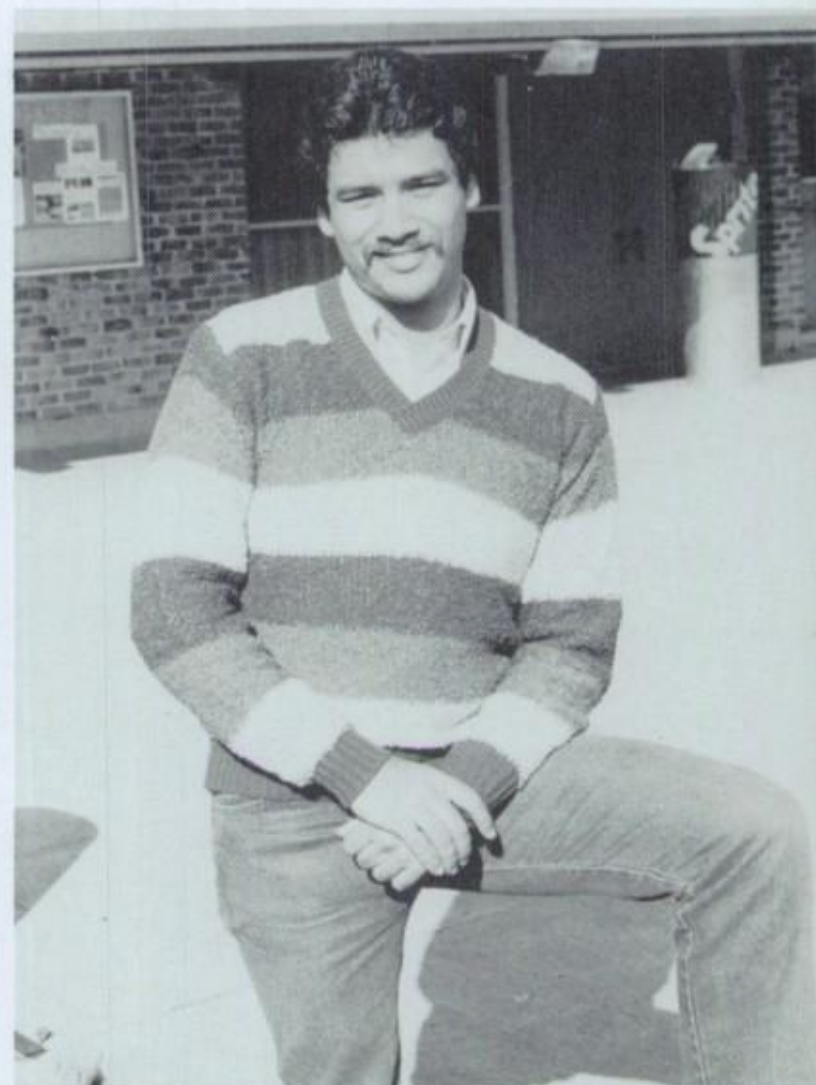
The custodial staff here at Pioneer has perhaps the most demanding job on the campus. The custodians work on different days. They work during school hours, and put in much extra time. In addition to cleaning the school grounds, they also keep our parking lot in good shape. These men keep our campus looking great! They are extremely important and deserve many thanks for a super 1983-'84 school year.

The 1983-'84 custodial staff consists of; Carlos Gonzalez, Ira Hoffman, Leroy Schwafel, Ben Spano, Webster Southall, and Ernest Navarro.

The cafeteria cooks Margaret DeKruyf, Hazel Monalbano, and Nancy Romiro, have once again done a great job of serving quality food on a slim budget. These three ladies have worked extremely hard during the 1983-84 school year and due to the careful planning of lunches and snacks, the cafeteria was the perfect spot to eat lunch at. The cafeteria was open everyday during lunchtime, and a new snack line was opened between all classes and also before school. The cooks have done an exceptional job here at Pioneer this year and are thanked and appreciated very much.



AND CAMPUS COPS



Our campus officers here at Pioneer contribute much to the success of the Pioneer High School campus.

This year Rocky Bridges, David Esparza, Joel Gonzalez, Larry Linden, Bernie Robledo, and Luis Zapata are the campus officers often referred to as the "campus cops." These six men take on the responsibilities of chaperoning games and dances, following up on the vehicle code, and above all, supervising Pioneer students during school hours.

Four of the six officers are returning to Pioneer and two are new this year. All six men are respected and very hard-working.

A sincere thanks goes to the campus officers for a great year. Your contributions to Pioneer are needed and always greatly appreciated!

Above left: Larry Linden and Dave Esparza

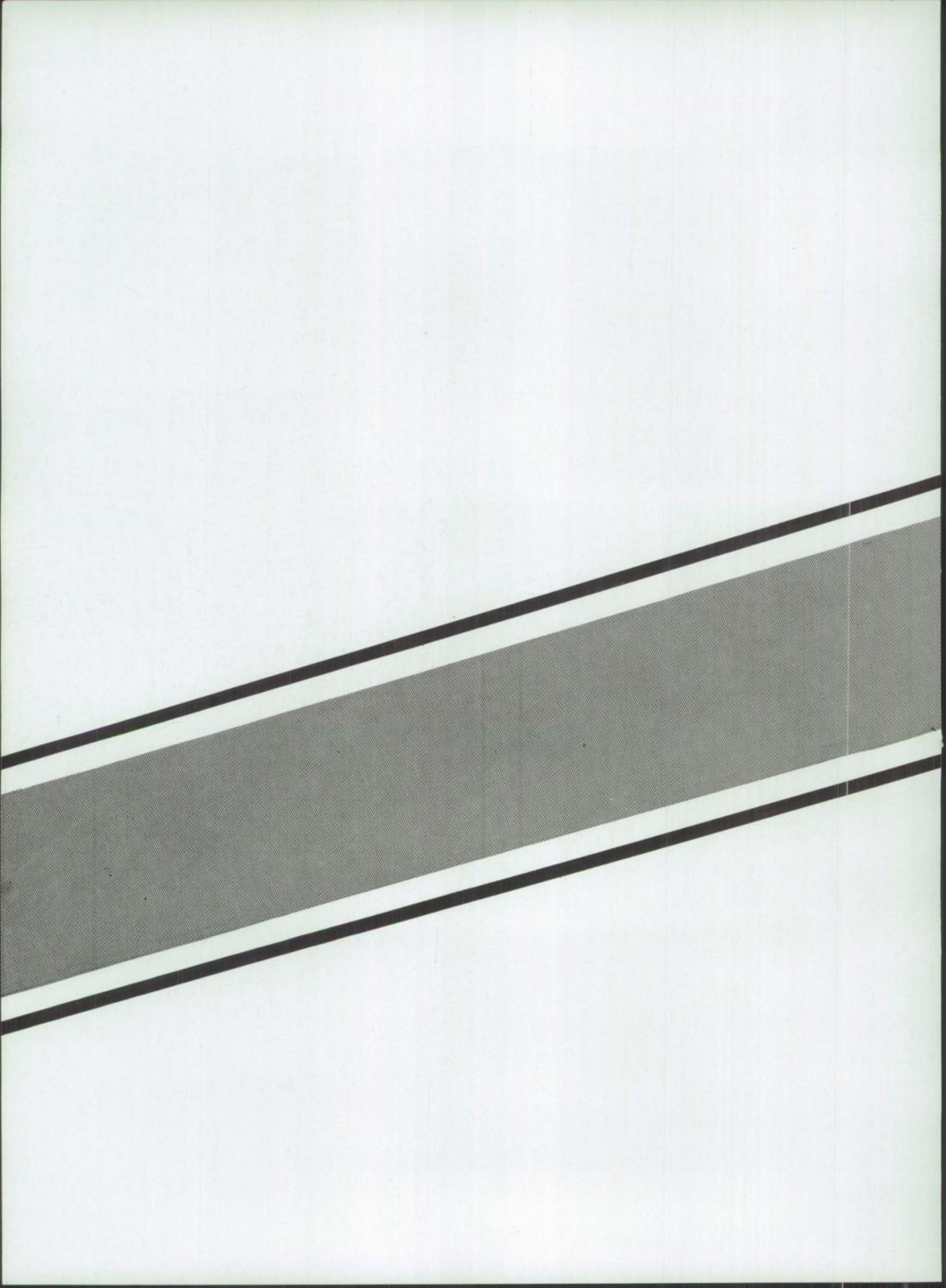
Above: Joel Gonzales

Far left: Luis Zapata

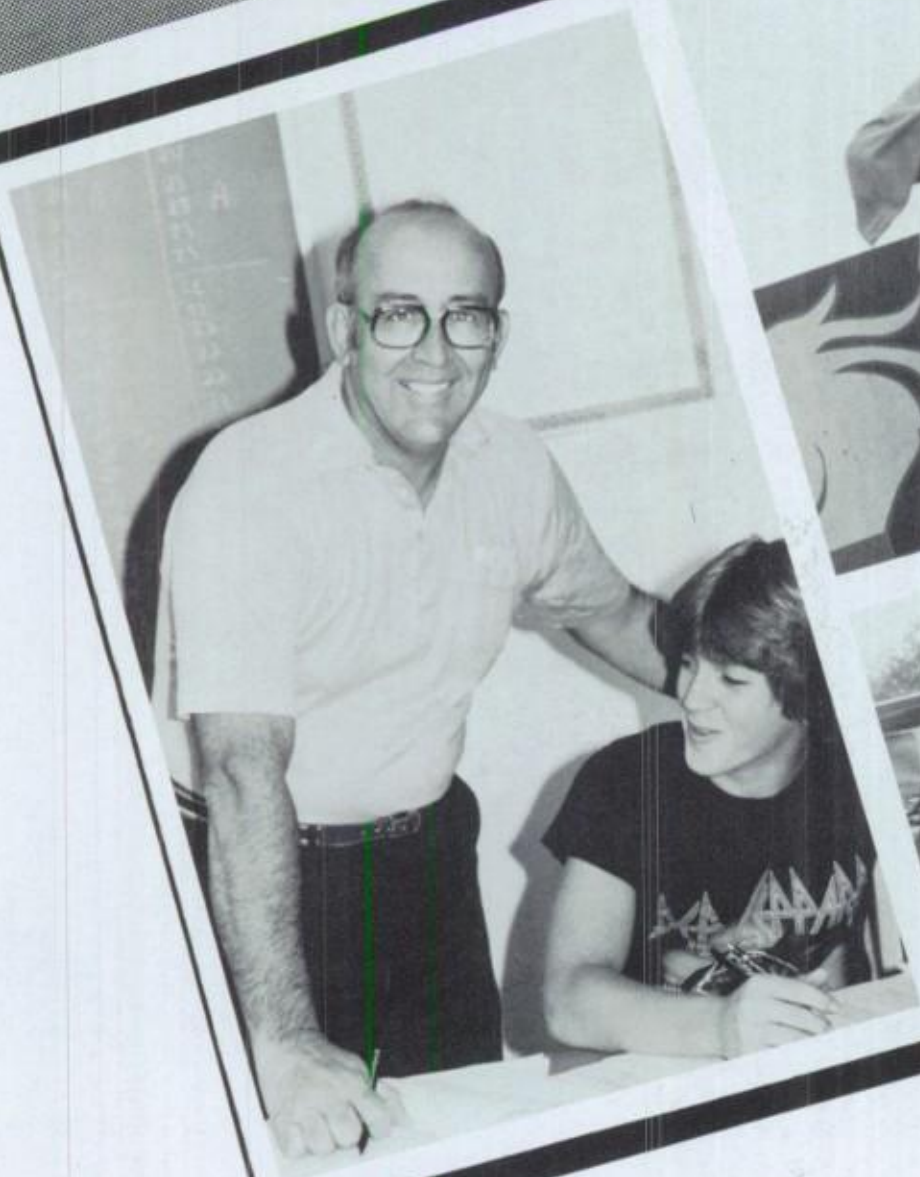
Left: Bernardo Robledo

Below: Rocky Bridges





Academics



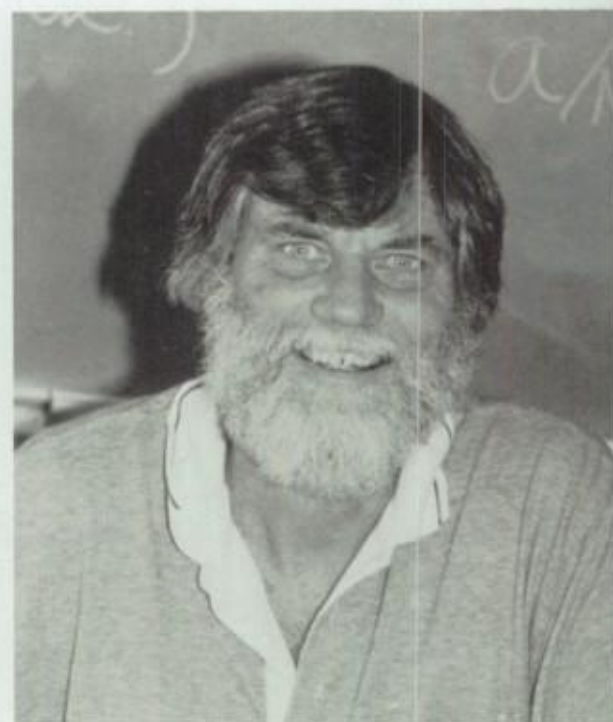
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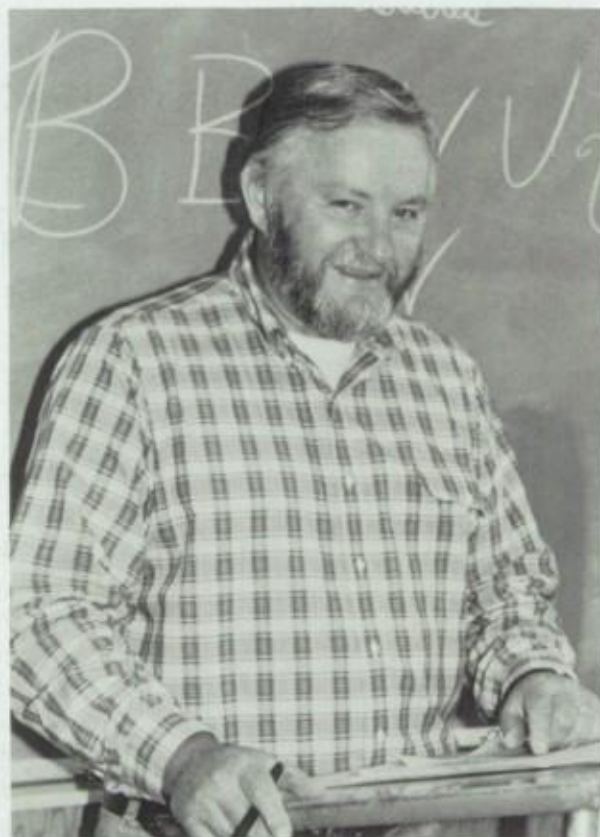
Mrs. Nancy Pugh



Mrs. Helen Burrows



Mr. Joor Bol



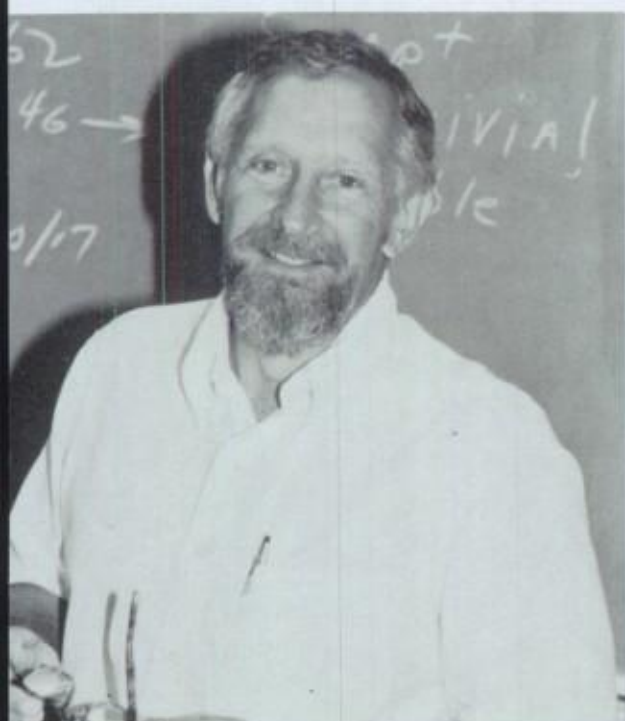
Mr. Hal Smith

The direction
in which education
starts a man
will determine
his future life.
-Plato



Above: Mark Fernando and Rhonda Ervin discuss a paper in English. **Opposite Page, Middle Left:** For a moment Mrs. Pugh puts all seriousness aside.

ATES REFLECTION



Mr. John Henderson



Mr. Craig Srephan



Mr. Sam Lugonja



Ms. Jan Myers



Ms. Sue Sarbaugh

Ms. Connie Martin
Ms. Wilma Shelton

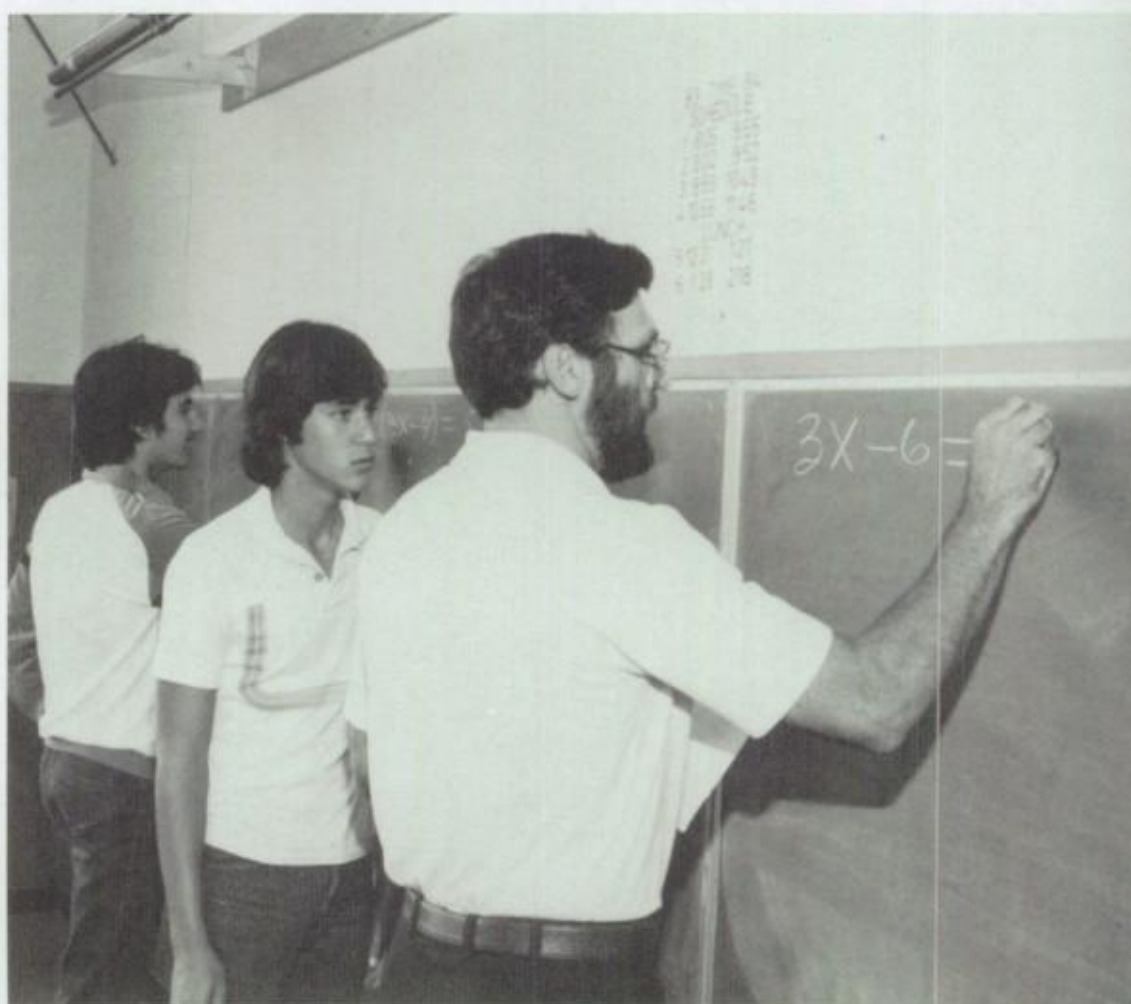


MATH DEPARTMENT . . . "STRONGEST IN 10 YRS."

The Math Department here at Pioneer is growing in both popularity and organization. With last year's hustle and bustle of preparation for new Freshmen and Sophomores, everything turned to a state of pandemonium. Because of the addition of students. There were also additions to our staff. Those teachers now are moving up to teach more advanced classes. Also, some teachers who never have taught math courses, are doing so this year. Now, everything is more organized and pulled together.

The math courses taught this year range from Improvement Math to Algebra, Geometry, Math Analysis, and Calculus. The advanced classes have many more students than they normally had; 80% of the students attending Pioneer are taking some kind of math course. This is great, considering it's the largest percentage in about ten years. There are three math analysis classes this year, instead of the usual two.

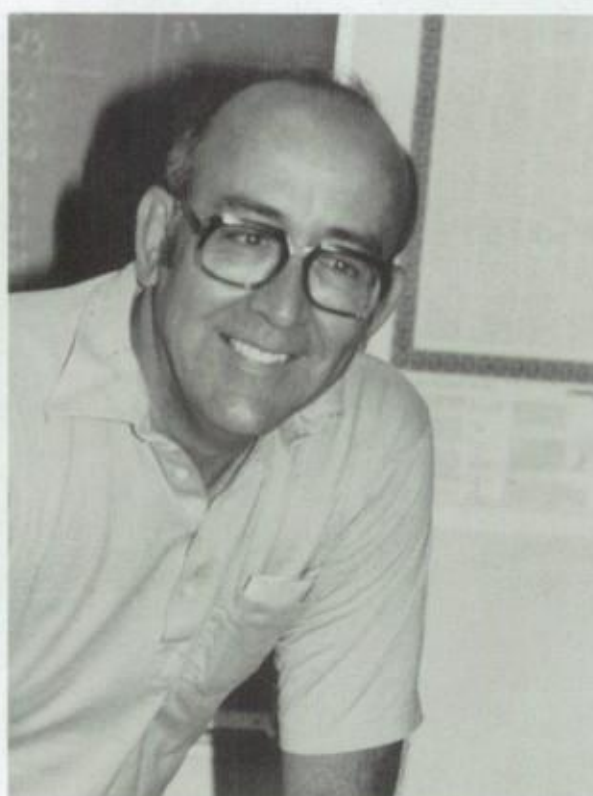
Our students don't know exactly what is out there, but they are working to achieve that needed knowledge for their future. Good luck to all those hard-working students. Keep it up!



Top Right: Mr. Hoover works out a problem. **Middle:** Students write their proofs of the board. **Bottom Right:** Mr. Dennis Donnelly. **Bottom Center:** Mr. Abe Padilla. **Top Left:** Lisa Levy puts her problem on the board.



Mr. Ron Apra





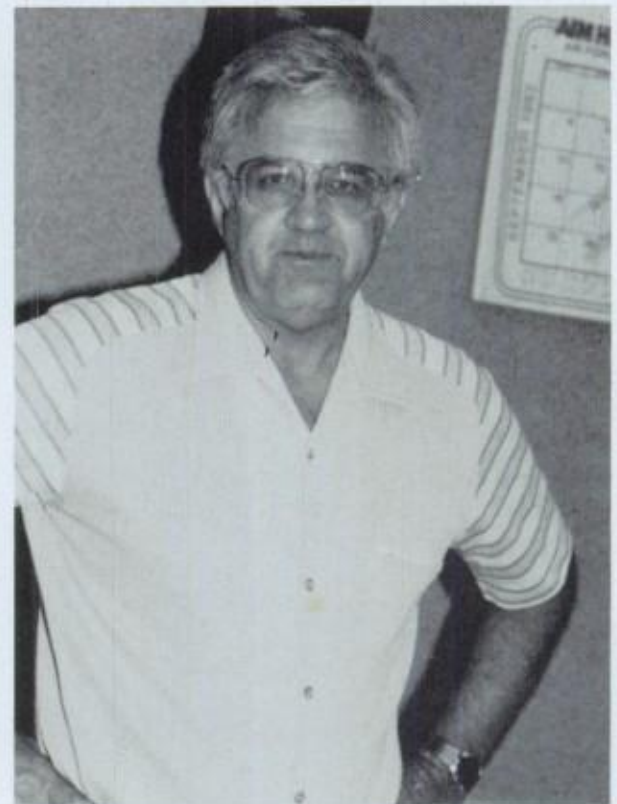
Ms. Jane Pflughaupt



Mr. Dave Dawes



Mrs. Donna Brunton



Mr. Don Marczak



Mr. Glenn Ventura



Mr. Larry Hoover

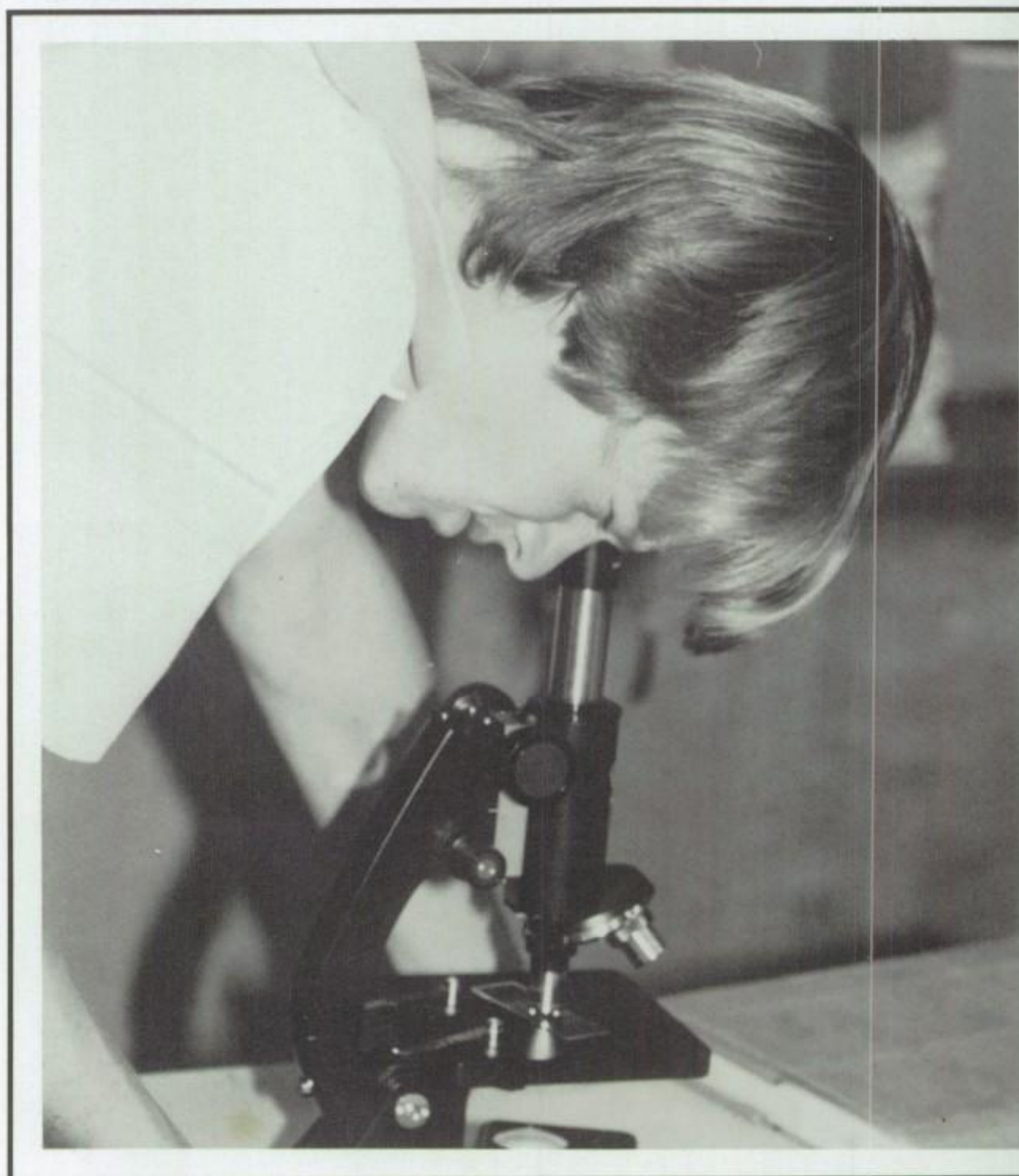


Mr. Howard Jensen

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT . . . BEST IN YEARS

This year the Science Department had many changes in both curriculum and staff. A semester of Advanced Biology taught by Mr. Church and a semester of Zoology, taught by Mr. Anaya, were new courses added to our science program. These courses brought about an increased interest from those students thinking of pursuing a career in the science field. The loss of Mrs. Brunton, due to a leave of absence, left chemistry students without an instructor until Mr. Lyon was reinstated as the chemistry teacher.

The department has been its strongest in fifteen years. This is due to the majority of the department staff members working together and enjoying the classes which they teach. Next year, physical science will be added to the program to accommodate the increased number of students who need high school science credits. Science teachers are also hoping for an increase in parent help and support next year.



Mr. Lyon



Mr. Shellman



Mr. Anaya



Mr. Apra



Mrs. Brunton



Mr. Church

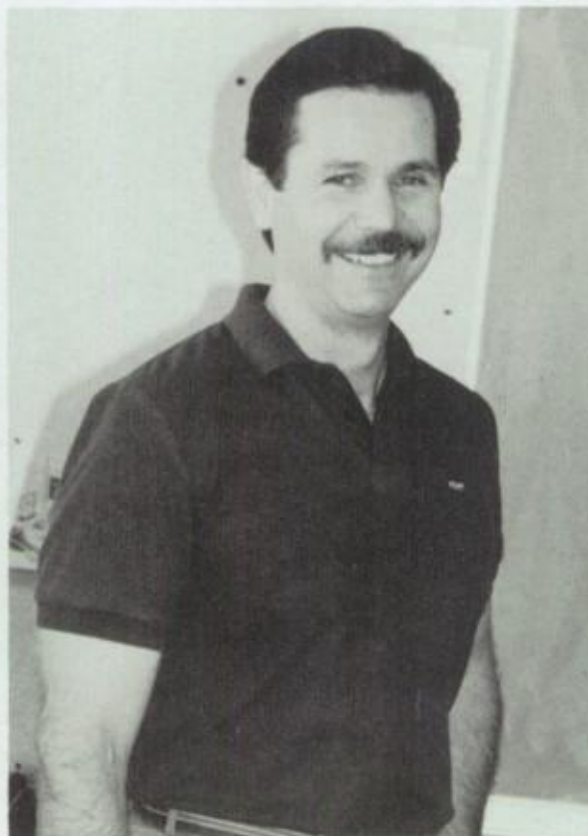


Top Left: Science Class intrigues its students! **Bottom Left:** Students work diligently in Chemistry class. **Above:** Mr. Church shows Kim Sealy the skull.

SOCIAL SCIENCE . . .

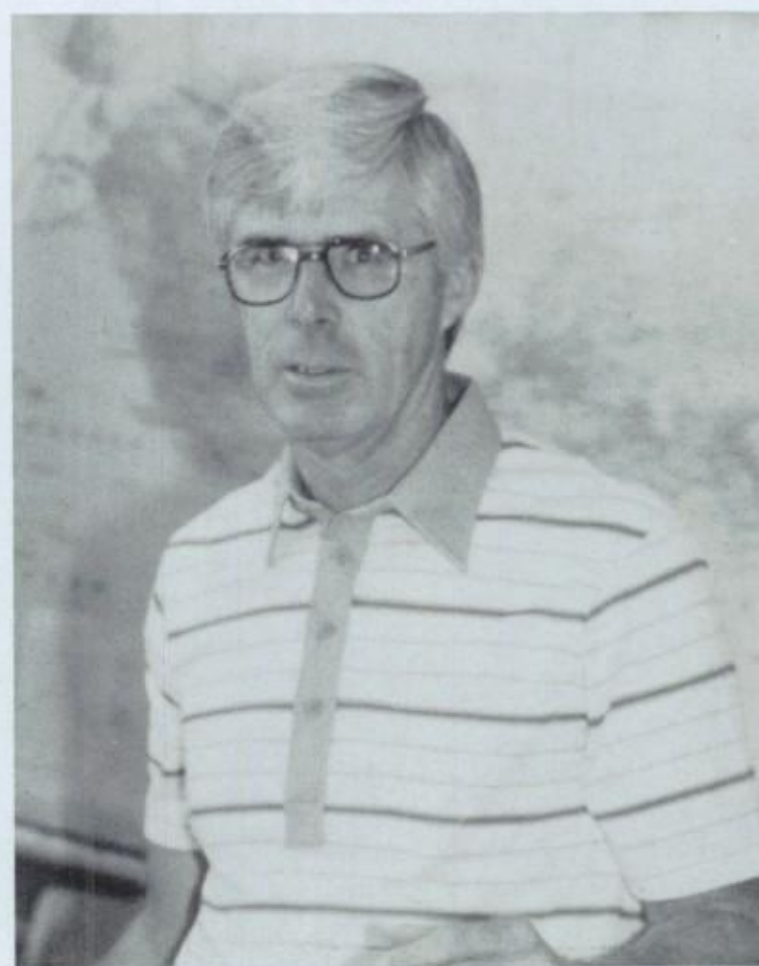
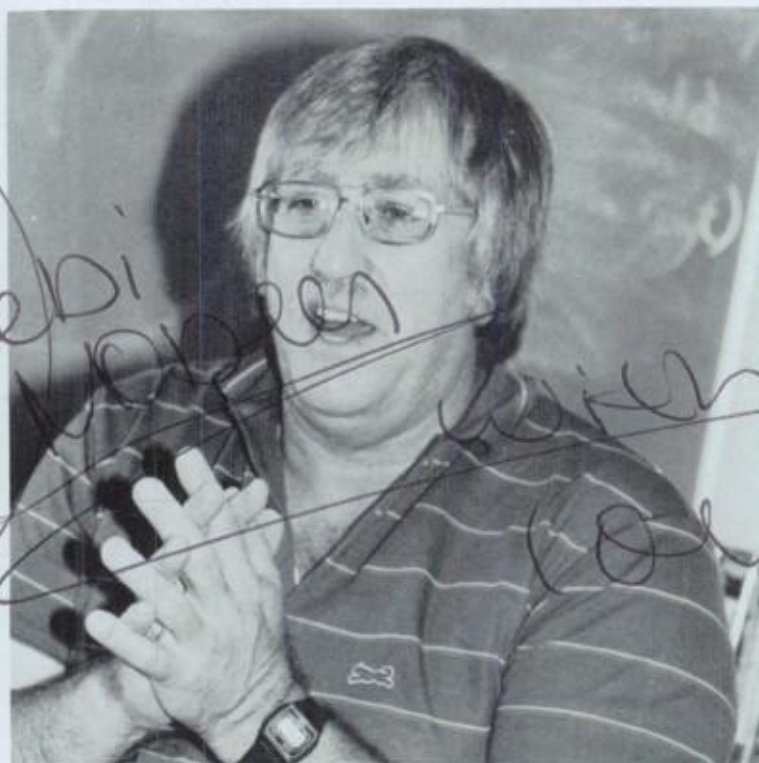
Social Science is a course whose importance is often overlooked. The knowledge gained from a course of this type can be carried with a student and applied to everyday life. It's a well known fact that history repeats itself. If one can grasp an understanding of past history, he/she is less likely to make the same mistakes.

Freshman World Cultures class gives a student a basic understanding of the world in general, its cultures and its history. This class prepares a student for their sophomore Introduction to Social Science class, which more or less teaches one to understand the principles of a society. As a junior and senior a more in-depth look at the United States is taken. For juniors American Studies class offers a broad review of American History; then finally as a senior, a student learns about the complex institution of the American Government. A senior also has a privilege of choosing a one semester course in either the psyche of man, mankind in general, or the social interactions of man; Psychology, Anthropology, and Sociology, respectively.



Top: Mr. Thompson attempts to help Mike Hembrooke. **Middle Left:** Mr. Stark **Center:** Mr. Foletta **Middle Right:** Ms. Davidson **Bottom Left:** Mrs. Hahn **Bottom Right:** Debbie Langley takes a break from her work.





Top Left: Mrs. Stacy **Top Middle:** Mr. Seandel **Top Right:** Mr. Thompson **Middle Left:** Staci Heater listens attentively to the lecture. **Middle Right:** Mr. Fitzpatrick **Bottom Left:** Kenny Houser enjoys studying World Cultures. **Bottom Right:** Mr. Housers

SPECIAL EDUCATION



Mrs. Joy Elner



Mrs. Linda Kiley



Mrs. Mary Levin

Pioneer's Special Education Department this year consists of math, English, science, and social studies. These classes are of special importance to students with learning disabilities or lack of credits. The students receive special attention to help them get the basic education they need to get through high school. These classes are usually small, and their schedule is like most classes, but they are taught at a lower learning level. Pioneer's Special Education program will greatly benefit its students in the future.

Below Right: Mrs. Zeller, Mrs. Riestler.



Mrs. Elner



Mr. Dave Beymer



STATE REQUIREMENTS



Mrs. Virginia Miller



Mr. Ray Rose

State Requirements is an important program at Pioneer. All students in their sophomore year are required to take this program, which consists of one semester of driver's education taught by Mr. Rose and one semester of health taught by Mrs. Miller.

This year, Pioneer's budget was tight, and unfortunately, behind the wheel training was squeezed out of driver's education. But even with this loss, driver's education students were still taught the basics of driving an automobile and the rules of the road. In the semester of health, students were taught first aid, sex education, and performing C.P.R.

Pioneer's State Requirements classes are important to each student and will benefit them for years to come.



Left: Mr. Rose helps our Robert Richardson. **Above:** Mrs. Miller at work.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION . . . KEEPING US IN SHAPE



Mr. Jerry Hannon



Mrs. Jackie Buchser



Mr. Ron Portal



Top Left: Up one, up two . . . **Above:** Going for the point. **Far Right:** Going for the hoop!

Physical Education is a very beneficial class. Required for all Freshmen and Sophomore students, the class is designed to show students how to keep their bodies in good condition and to maintain good health. Classes offered this year were badminton, basketball, dance, flag football, running, soccer, swimming, tennis, volleyball, and weightlifting. Many of these activities, such as dance, tennis, and running were offered to help build the coordination of the students. Contact sports such as football, soccer and basketball helped the participants to realize the importance of teamwork. Above all, sportsmanship was highly stressed.



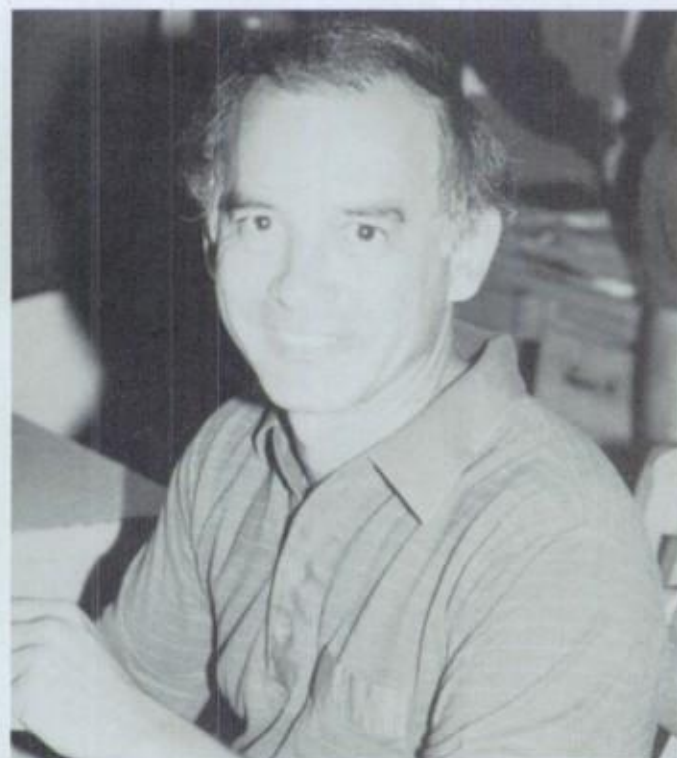
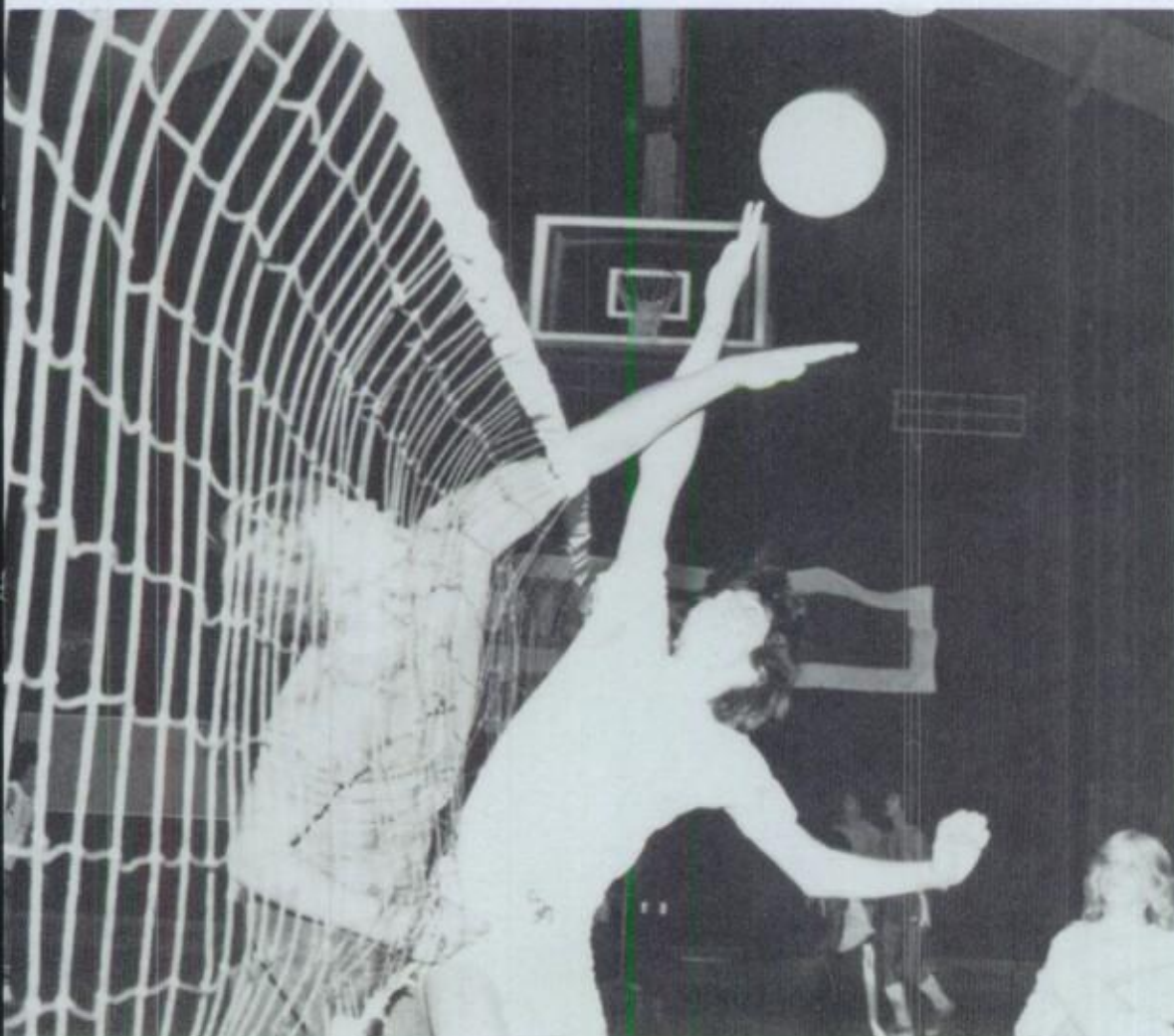
Mrs. Virginia Miller



Middle: Aggressiveness on the court!
Bottom: Warming up.



Mr. Bob Nelson



Mr. Glenn Ventura



Mr. Jim Briscoe

FOREIGN LANGUAGE . . .



Helping people to understand each other better . . . that is what taking a foreign language is all about. At Pioneer you have a choice of Spanish, French, or German. The instructors are Mrs. Bullock, Mr. Donaire, Mrs. Awbrey, and Mrs. Martin for Spanish; Mrs. Augusts for French; and Mrs. Riley for German.

Taking a foreign language is important for a good job, and is also very interesting. You can not only learn the language, but also receive a better understanding of the culture behind it.

Pioneer is very lucky to have excellent teachers so all of you who haven't tried a foreign language, try one next year! You might even decide you like it.



This page **Top:** Mrs. Augusts teaches French. **Middle:** Student helps teach Spanish class. **Bottom Left:** Mrs. Awbrey. **Bottom Right:** Mrs. Riley. Opposite page **Top Right:** Suzie Weitenstein in French class. **Top Middle:** Mrs. Martin. **Top Left:** Spanish Spirit. **Middle Left:** Mrs. Bullock. **Middle Middle:** Mr. Donaire. **Middle Right:** Student giving presentation. **Bottom Left:** Mrs. Augusts. **Bottom Right:** Excited students!



A BRIDGE BETWEEN NATIONS



BUSINESS DEPARTMENT SETS GOALS

Business Skills, both novice and advanced, are a very important part of the high school learning experience. These skills can be applied to life now, and they will also be useful tools later in the adult world.

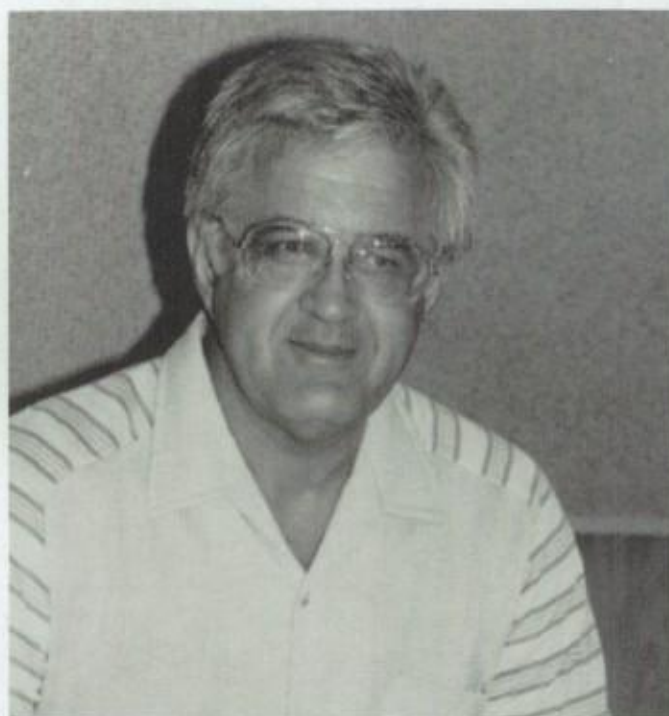
The Business Department here at Pioneer is well equipped to prepare its many students for graduation, college and the upcoming years. Class offerings including typing, business math, computers, record keeping, bookkeeping and work experience give enrolled students a beginning in either business or mathematical fields. The growing popularity of the computer age has also been incorporated into the Business program. Accounting and Record Keeping as well as Typing classes have adapted to the use of computers. These three classes are all being partially taught on the IBM computers in the computer center on campus.

The course goals and curriculum have changed over the years. Job skills was dropped and work experience was an addition to the Business courses. Mr. Marczak stated that more books have been purchased for the upgrading of the program. Both Mrs. Rausch and Mr. Marczak agree that the goals are very important. The Business Department hopes to develop skills in the area of income tax forms, checking accounts, and charge accounts. They hope to instill a feeling of confidence regarding the handling of financial affairs and to emphasize the importance of securing a job that is right for the particular individual.

The Business Department has received much recognition from staff and students for preparing students for the future!



Mrs. Doris Rausch



Mr. Don Marczak





Mrs. Laurel Euler



Mr. Jim Briscoe

Below Left: Typing is one of the many Business classes. **Top Left:** Mrs. Euler gives assistance as needed. **Middle Left:** Srada Burks working hard at school. **Below Right:** Busy at work in Math class.



Mr. Bill Johnson



INDUSTRIAL ARTS...LEARNING THE TRADE

Mr. Heinrich, Mr. Ichikawa, and Mr. Taylor have once again successfully completed another great year in the Industrial Arts Department. Their approach in teaching these courses is to reach at the students' level, allowing them to thoroughly learn the basic skills of woodshop, drafting, and auto mechanics. Every precaution is taken into account before students start working individually and in groups.

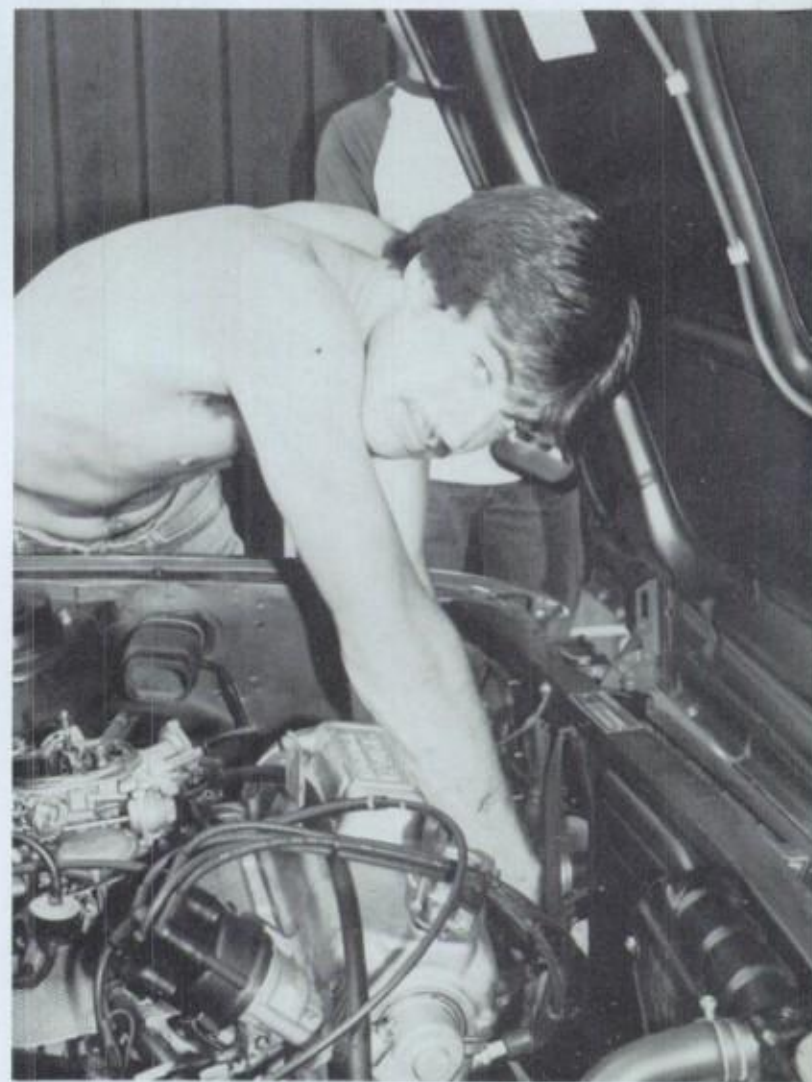
Thanks to these three teachers, students at Pioneer are being properly instructed and prepared for future purposes.



Top Left: Bob White concentrates on his drafting. **Top Right:** Dave Koppel working towards a drafting career. **Above:** John Fournaine finishing up his project. **Right:** Bill Orsborn continually improving his car.



Left: Jeff Cerneko designing his dream house. **Below:** Rick Weiss hard at work on a summer day. **Bottom Left:** Buster Ichikawa, Drafting. **Middle:** Fred Taylor, AutoShop. **Bottom Right:** Bob Heinrich, Woodshop.



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"In a society today where most things range from the automated to the artificial, Art is probably the last form of self-expression left to us." Both Mr. Donovan and Mr. Lindemann truly believe this. Whether they were another Pablo Picasso or just a student exploring and building on more limited, creative talents, those who took their classes vastly gained from them. Most every art aficionado did well and produced an abundance of beautiful and imaginative works.

The Pioneer faculty and student body responded to this with great support for the role of art in our school. Together with members of the community, they visited the library during the week long art show in May. All in all, art prevailed, thanks to creative and tasteful people everywhere.



Top Left: Mr. Donovan and Kim Scow discuss her ceramics project. **Top Middle:** Linda Horan demonstrates her joy in the painting she works on. **Top Right:** Mr. Donovan's brother-in-law, Kim Cosnegard, shows his skill on the potter's wheel. **Above:** Mr. Lindemann explains the next project his art class will undertake.



HOME ECONOMICS



Top: Terry Licota (left) and Debbie Goldston pay close attention in their Family Life class. **Above Left:** A guest lecturer presents a talk on advertising. **Above Right:** Ms. Myers, American Family and clothing teacher. **Left:** Ms. Tefank, foods teacher. **Above:** Kim McKinney enjoys one of her delicious creations in foods class.

So it was that the home economics branch of our school, which teaches us about living on our own in the outside world, was not all that met the eye. Take Mrs. Tefank's cooking class; this course covered more than baking cookies. Nutrition, proper diet, and the mechanics of why cooking works were gone over in detail, and many fantastic foods were created. Meanwhile, in the American Family class, Ms. Myers instructed her students on the value of relationships in marriage and the importance of proper child development. Divorce, housing, sex education, and consumer awareness were also discussed throughout the year. Ms. Myers also presided over the clothing class which taught tips on fashion as well as methods for creating one's own fashions.



Lisa Parker, President.

When I heard I had been elected President, I was really happy but I soon found out that this job was rougher than it seemed. Although being President of the freshman class was a great responsibility, it has been a rewarding experience. With the help of others, everything has run smoothly.

This job has called for an active imagination. Building the Homecoming float took time and effort on everyone's part. Making posters for various events required creativity for they were needed to draw attention and inspire action.

Student officers make things happen. Upperclass officers helped us get things ready and organized. Then every activity had to be approved by Mr. Ridley before being placed on the school calendar. Mr. Ridley counseled the freshman officers and was a great help.

Kathleen Kuboi, Vice President; Kim Klein, Secretary; and Don Sturmon, Treasurer, have been great assistants and have conscientiously performed their duties. With the help of these officers this year has been the best ever! I am very proud to have served as President of the 1983/'84 freshman class at Pioneer!

Left, Front Row: Jim Kilfoil, Teresa Lyddane. **Back Row:** Amy Bauer, Kerry Gallagher.

UNDERCLASSMEN... BUT



Lisa Parker, Kathy Kuboi, Kim Klein, and Don Sturmon.



NOT UNDERCLASSED



Larisa Montelindo, Mary Krueger, Rob Ochoa, and Allyson Takera.

To be the junior class President for 1983/'84 has been a distinct privilege. Serving in this position has allowed me to help our junior class have a more successful year.

There are many duties to be performed by the class president. One of the most important is the organization of fundraisers, for without money, it is difficult to have activities. Almost equal in importance is the Junior Prom. The highlight of the junior year, this event requires a great deal of preparation and work. Other responsibilities include constructing a float for Homecoming, planning an activity for Spirit Week, and sponsoring certain dances.

Although there was a great deal of work to be done, the job was made easier by other officers and students who were willing to contribute their time and effort. Vice President Teresa Lyddane contributed ideas and helped make decisions. Secretary Kerry Gallagher kept notes at our meetings while Treasurer Amy Bauer kept track of the money. Together with other students, willing to give a helping hand on projects, these officers made the completion of this work possible.

In spite of all the work involved, I am glad to have had the opportunity to help my class.



Jim Kilfoil, President.

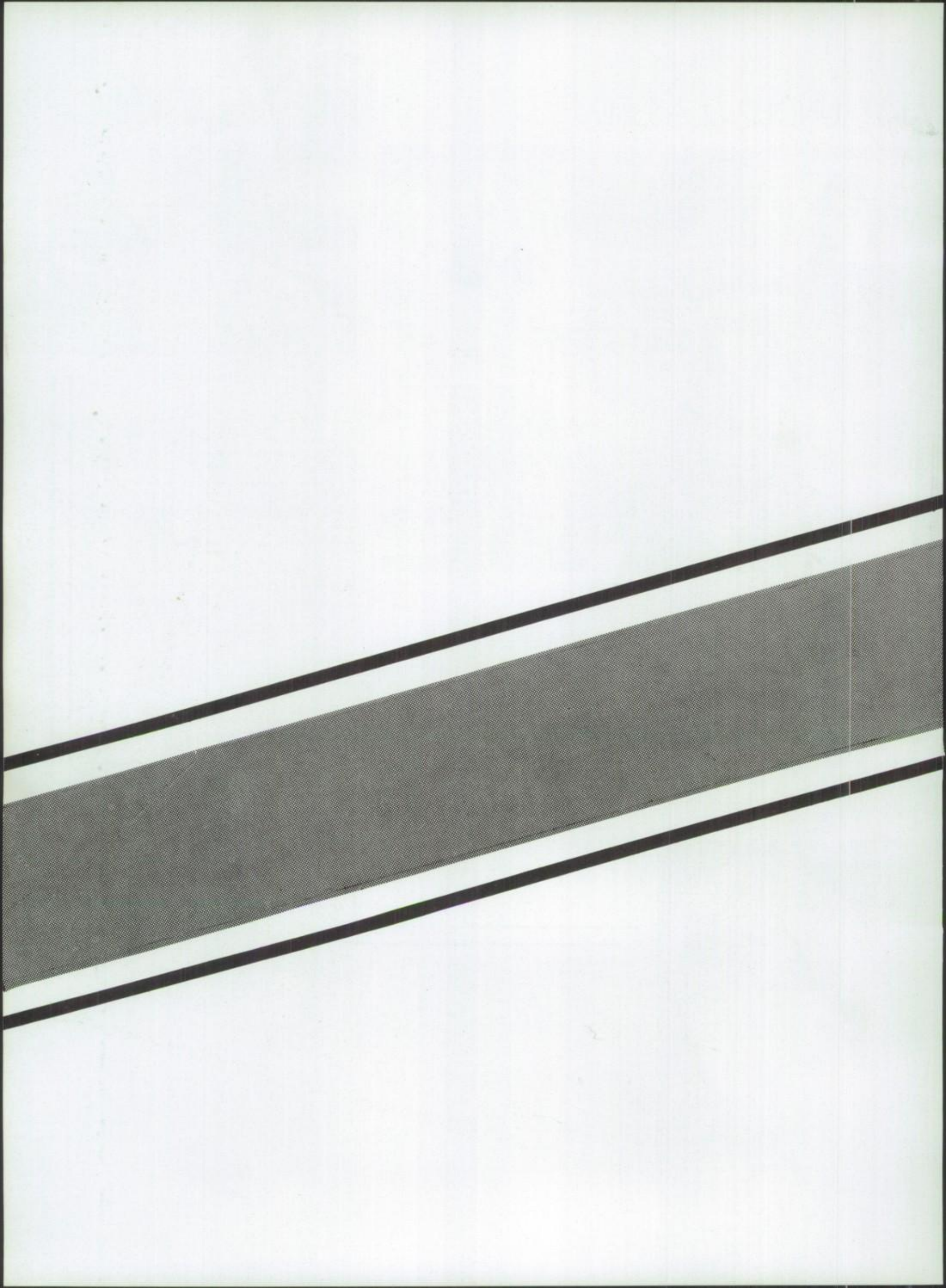


Mary Krueger, President.

I was very honored to represent the 1983/'84 sophomore class as their President. Organizing the many Pioneer activities sponsored by the sophomore class has been a very enjoyable experience. I am very pleased to have had the opportunity to meet the different people involved in student government. I wish to thank everyone who has helped me throughout the course of the year.

Student government is a group effort which would be impossible without working volunteers. The sophomore class has been lucky enough to be rich in this department. In addition, my fellow officers and our class advisors willingly donated considerable help. Vice President Robert Ochoa, Secretary Allyson Takera, and Treasurer Larisa Montelindo, have all performed their duties with pride.

Pioneer is an extremely spirited school and the sophomore class has contributed greatly.



Juniors



THE JUNIORS

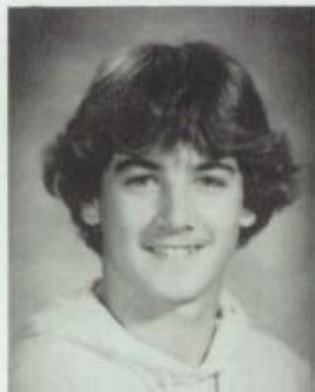
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Almadova, Frank



Alvarado, Michelle
Ashford, Karie



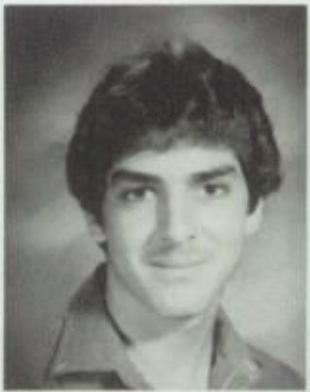
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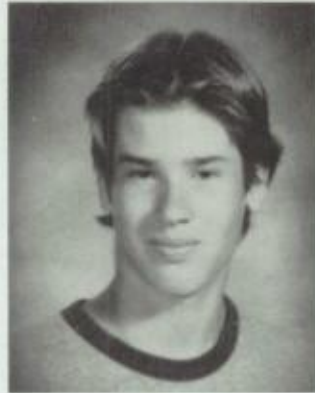
At lunchtime, David Kison amuses himself with a book.



Baker, Linda
Ballantyne, Diana
Banuelos, Dan
Barries, Cindy
Beene, Keith



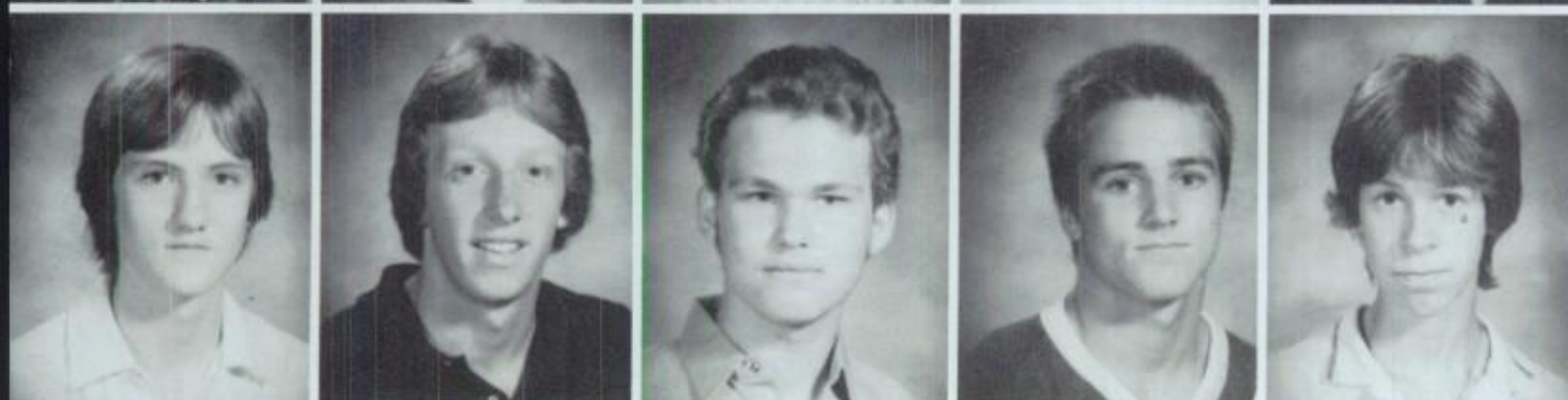
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Berry, Nick
Bertrand, Michael
Bishop, Pamela



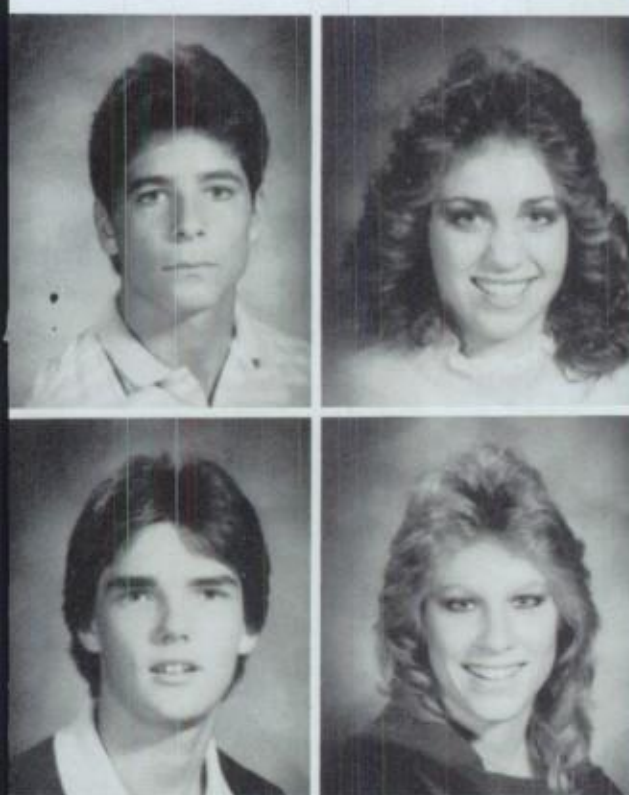
CLASS OF '85.



Blevins, Les
Boorwright, Brian
Boaz, Heidi
Bouch, Will
Brock, Chris



Brogley, Scott
Brown, Chris
Brown, Hugh
Brown, Steve
Brunner, Rich



Burr, Scott
Burrignol, Michelle



Jim Kilfoil and Scott Steer cram for a test during lunch.

Bystrom, Mike
Calhoun, Jan

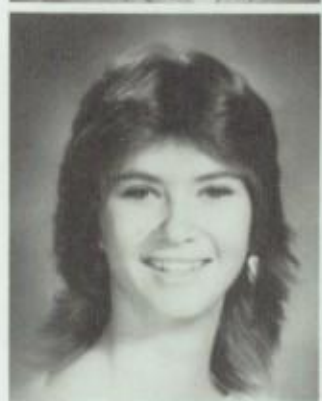


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Chambers, Danielle
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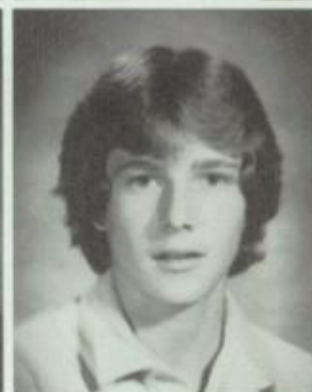
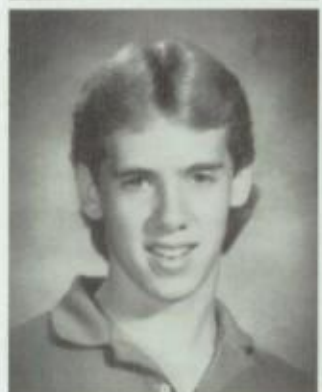
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Chung, Charmaine
Coffey, Mary
Collier, David
Compton, Mary



Connor, Rhonda
Conti, Joe
Cook, Diana
Cool, Michelle
Corbus, Lori



Correa, Ray
Correia, Tom
Cosgrove, Scott
Cosmann, Dennis
Corron, Linda



Junior Class Poll

During the 1983-'84 school year, a poll addressing juniors only was taken here at Pioneer. The results were as follows:

Favorite Movies: 1. Stayin' Alive; 2. All the Right Moves; 3. Risky Business.

Favorite Groups or Singers: 1. The Police; 2. Michael Jackson; 3. Def Leppard.

Favorite Albums: 1. Thriller; 2. Synchronicity; 3. Soundtrack from Flashdance.

Favorite Cars: 1. Mercedes 450SL convertible; 2. Porsche; 3. Mustang.

When asked where junior liked to hang out, comments varied. Depending on what time of day the question was asked, however, some of the most popular responses were "McDonald's" and "the rock."





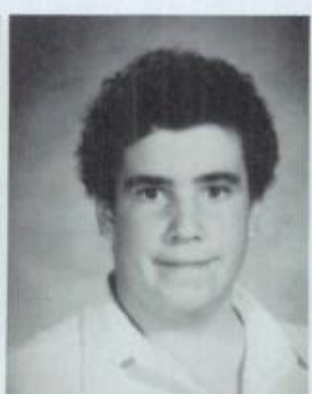
Mike Nedved takes a break on the sidelines.



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Crowe, Susan

Crowley, Scott
Cunningham, Cathy

Daigle, Brenda
Dalcanto, Tony
Daniels, Sheila
Davis, Sharon
Debar, Brian

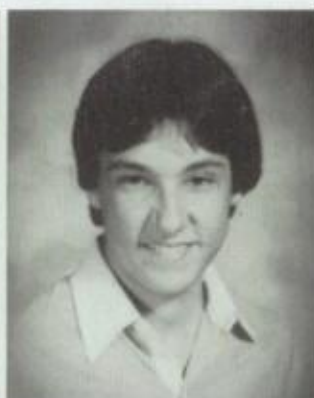


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Delnero, Arthur
Deloney, Richele



Demaria, Christie
Denton, Amy
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Draper, Todd
Dunaway, Marie

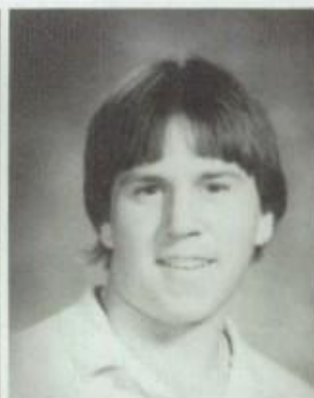
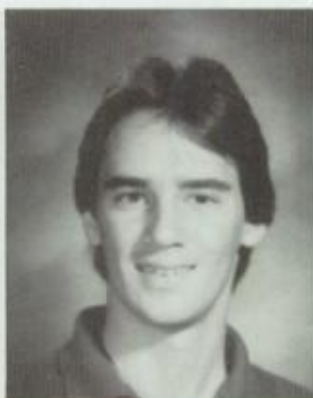
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 Fiscus, Gale



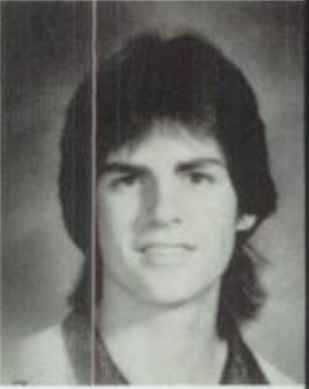
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 Fletcher, Craig
 Flowers, John
 Fogolin, Mike
 Fontaine, Renee



Fowler, Debbie
 Francis, Jason
 Frommelt, Dina
 Fry, Candace
 Fuentrez, Rudy



Gale, Noah
 Gallagher, Kerry
 Garcia, Mark
 Gardner, Debbie
 Garnier, Paul





A Person Of Many Talents

Kimberly Whitworth, one of Pioneer's Mega Mustangs, is very involved in school as well as extra curricular activities. Her academic achievements include 4 years of Spanish, 2 years of science, and the first of a probable 2 years of college preparatory English. She has been able to maintain excellent grades throughout her two years here at Pioneer. During her Sophomore year, she became very interested in student government. As Vice President of the Sophomore class, she learned much about working with fellow students and administrators. Kim was also a fantastic addition to the Speech and Debate Team. She also held a position on the Pioneer tennis team. Outside school, Kim has a great love for music. She is an excellent pianist and is working on her vocal talents with a voice trainer.

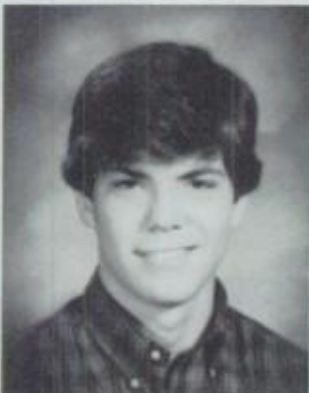
Although Kimberly is a busy young woman, she finds time for friends, family and planning her future. They may not see much of Kim because of her hectic schedule, but the time she spends with them is quality time. As for her future, she wants to attend U.C.L.A. and major in Business with an emphasis on marketing. This dedicated and determined lady is sure to obtain her future goals!



Garrett, Parry
Gartner, Mike
* Giafaglione, Jim *
Gilbreath, Kathy
Goldberg, Sherri



Goldschneider, Jill
Gonser, Laura
Gonzales, Rosanne
Graham, Edrick
Green, Sharon



Green, Suzanne
Greenwalt, Darin
Griffin, Joe
Grisell, Jeff
Guardino, Chris

Gunter, Bill
Gunter, Bob

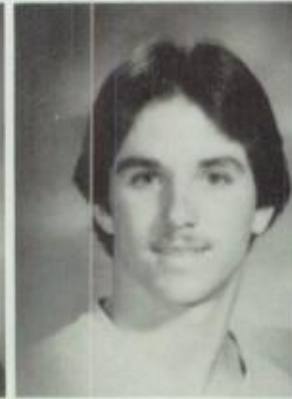


Hall, Brad
Harley, Velvee



Krista Passarelli and Linda Cotton are all smiles.

Harris, Kristi
Harrog, Samantha
Harrwick, Don
Hazen, Jared
Hembrooke, Paul

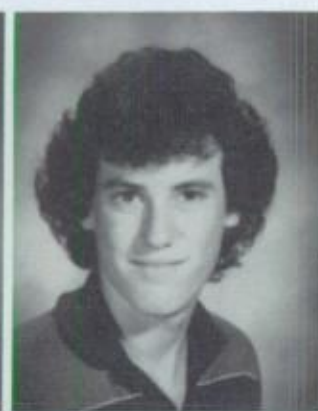
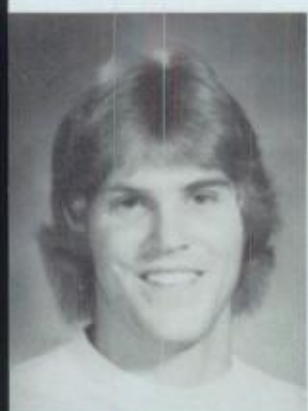


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Hibbitts, Clifford

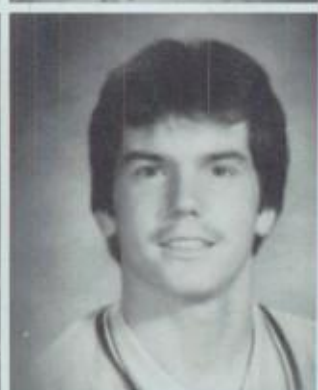


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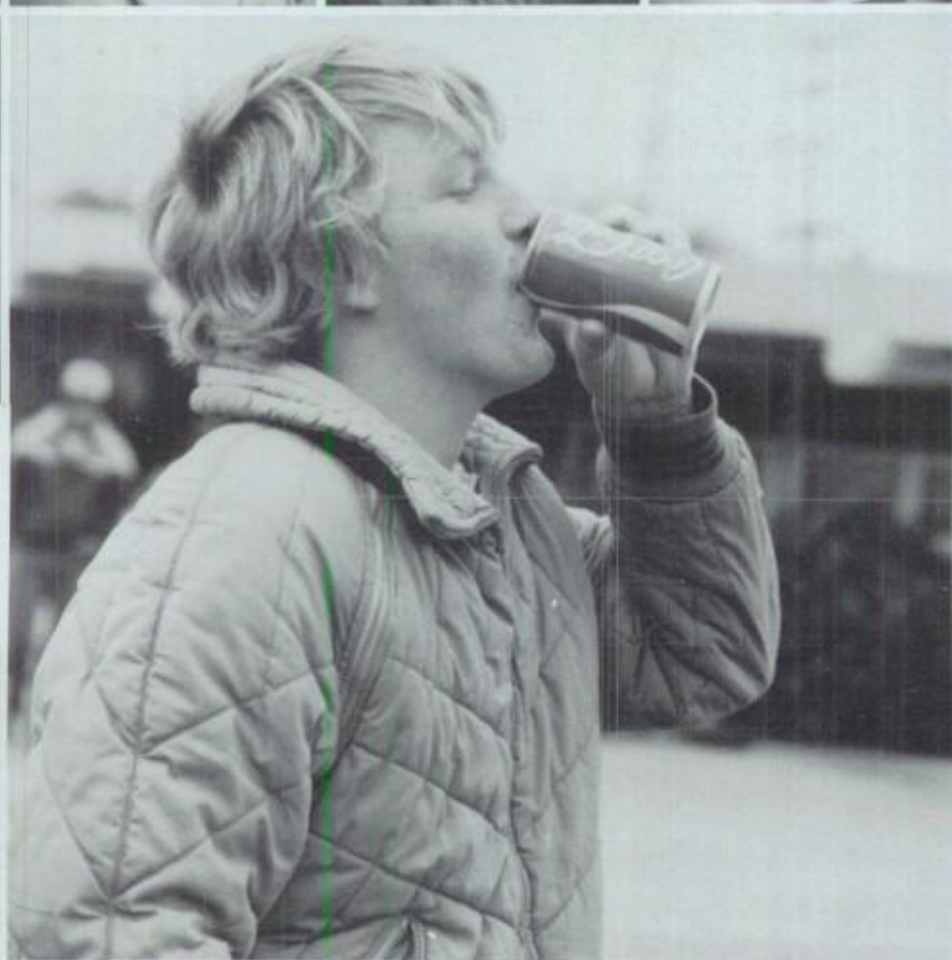




Hogue, Jon
Holleran, Margaret
Horton, David
Horton, Kerry
Houghtraling, Joe



Howell, Deanna
Illies, Kevin
Imbert, Becky
Ingraham, Darcy
Ivanitsky, Mike



James, Allan
Johnson, Erik



There's nothing like a cool, refreshing coke!



Jones, Chris
Ioyner, Sharon



Karmin, Craig
Killfoil, Jim
King, Laurie
Kison, David
Kocina, Diane

More Than Beauty . . .

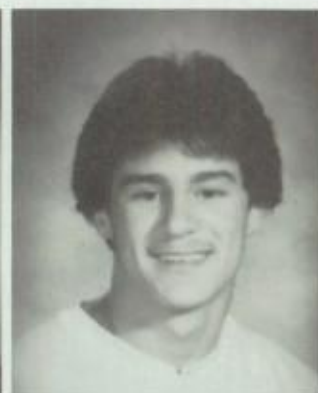
There are many talented students at Pioneer; among them is Sheila Daniels. Last year Sheila participated in the Miss Northern Teenage Pageant 1982, a Sherri Rose production. Seven hundred teenage girls were interviewed and fifty were chosen for the actual competition. Categories for the pageant included a one-minute speech, evening gown, and bathing suit competition. Sheila received high marks on her speech entitled "Positive Attitude." Sheila's "positive attitude" was prevalent as she commented, "It was a worthwhile experience, . . . even if you don't place, the fact is you're still a winner."

The pageant, and preparation for it, took two weeks. Within this time, Sheila had to balance pageant activities with her studies, managing equal time for both biology and after-school meetings.

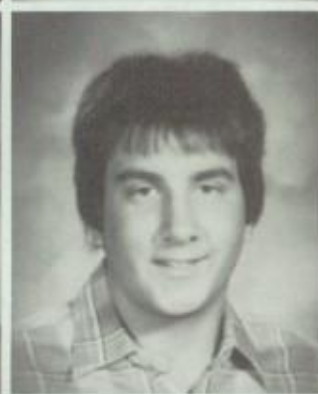
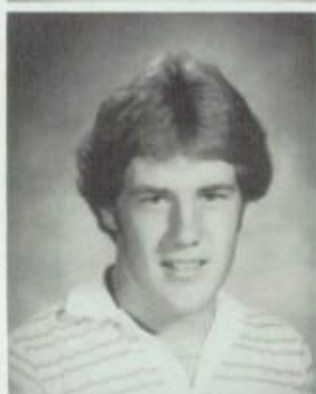
Sheila said that she wouldn't mind doing it all over again, adding "It was scary but exciting because I felt good about what I was doing." This pageant helped Sheila become more outgoing and better able to handle pressure.



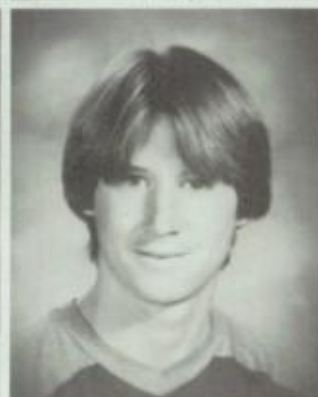
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Lambert, Jeff



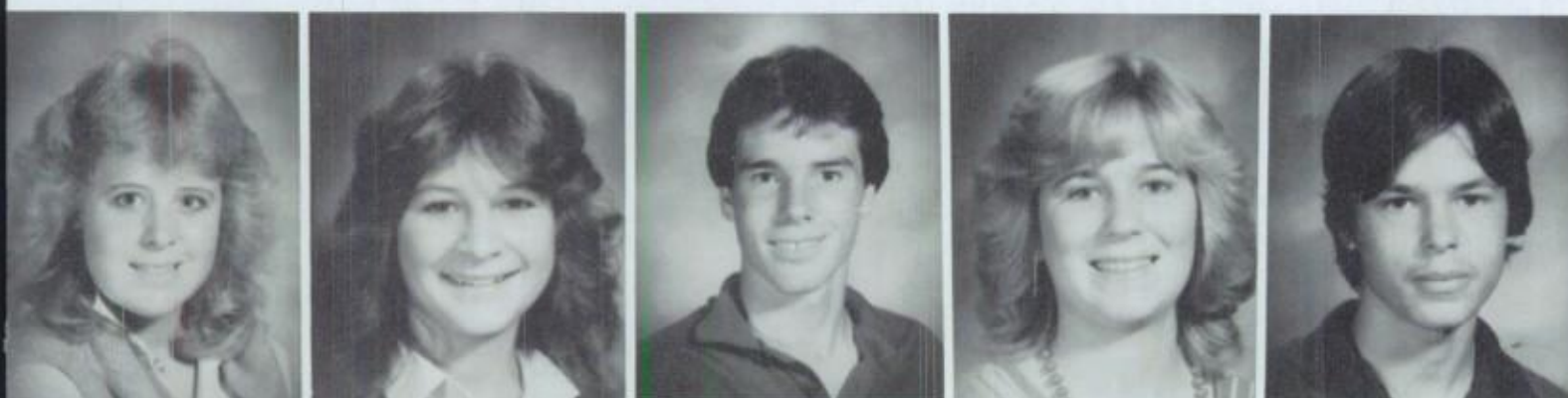
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Lane, Brian
Lanning, Paul





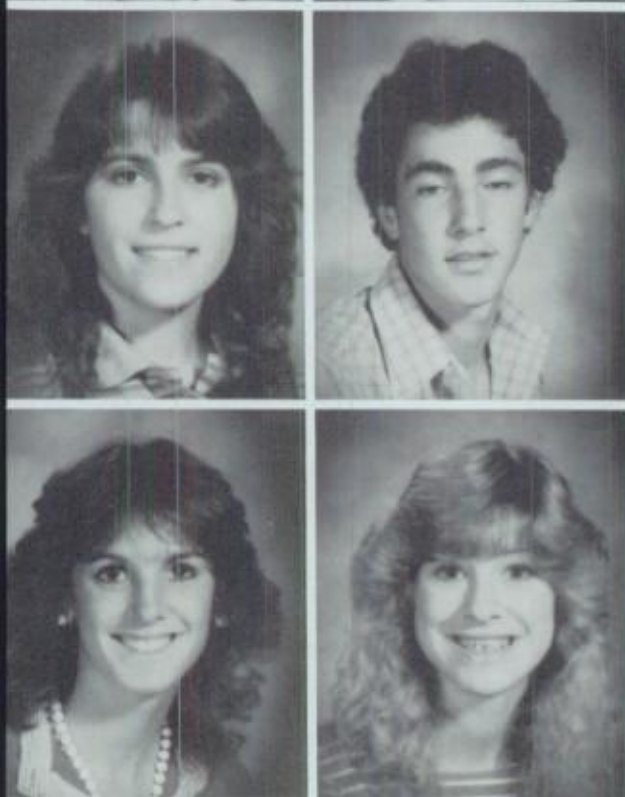
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Lee, Cynthia
Lee, Mary
Leech, Lisa
Legos, Cheryl

Lindblom, Scott
Little, Bill
Liu, Grace
Loeffler, Larry
Lofgren, Chris



Loney, Kimberly
Lopez, Lisa
Lorenz, Rob
Lozano, Missy
Lucas, Jim

Sara Johnson and Shelly Delage decide what to have for lunch.

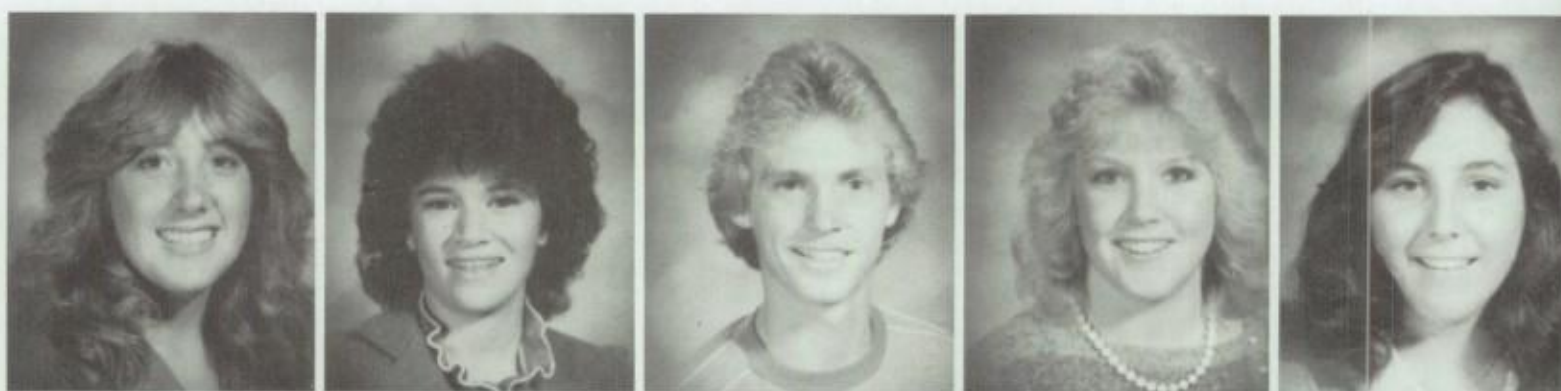


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Lykins, Jim
MacDonald, Libby
Magallon, Melissa



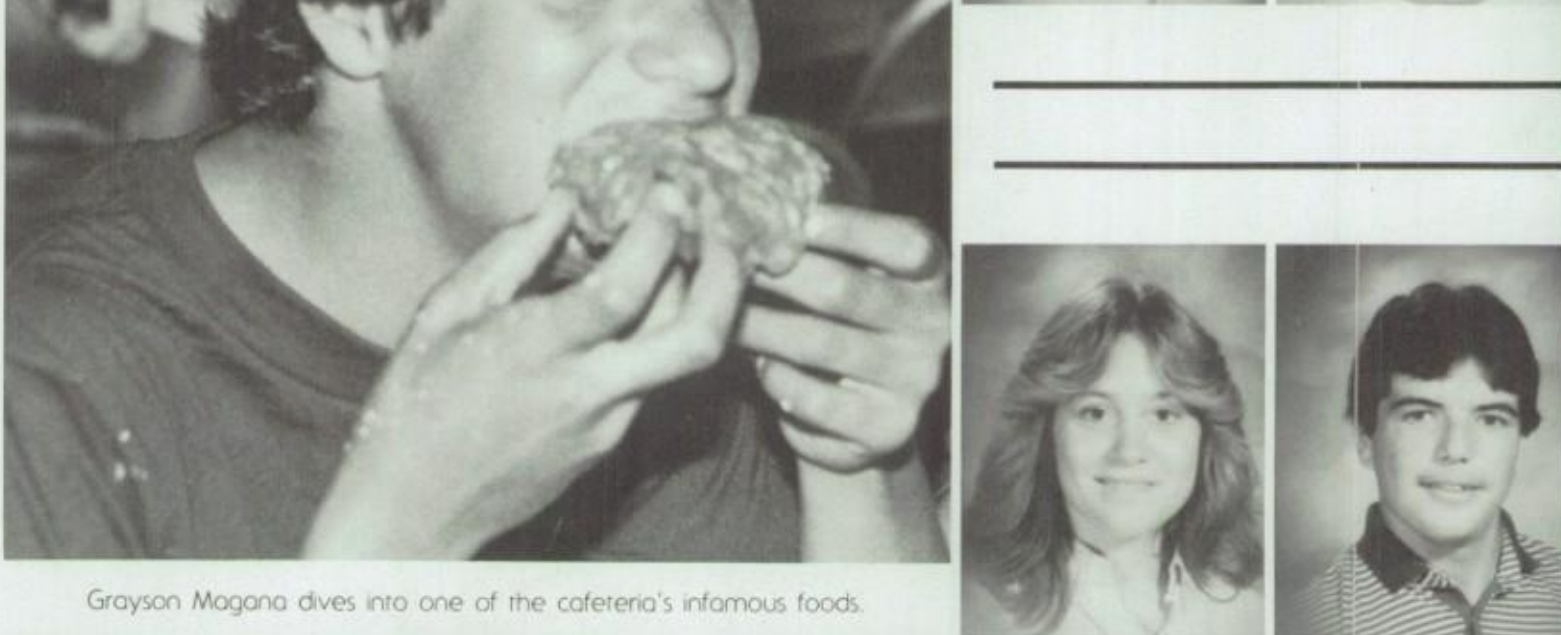
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Manor, Quinn

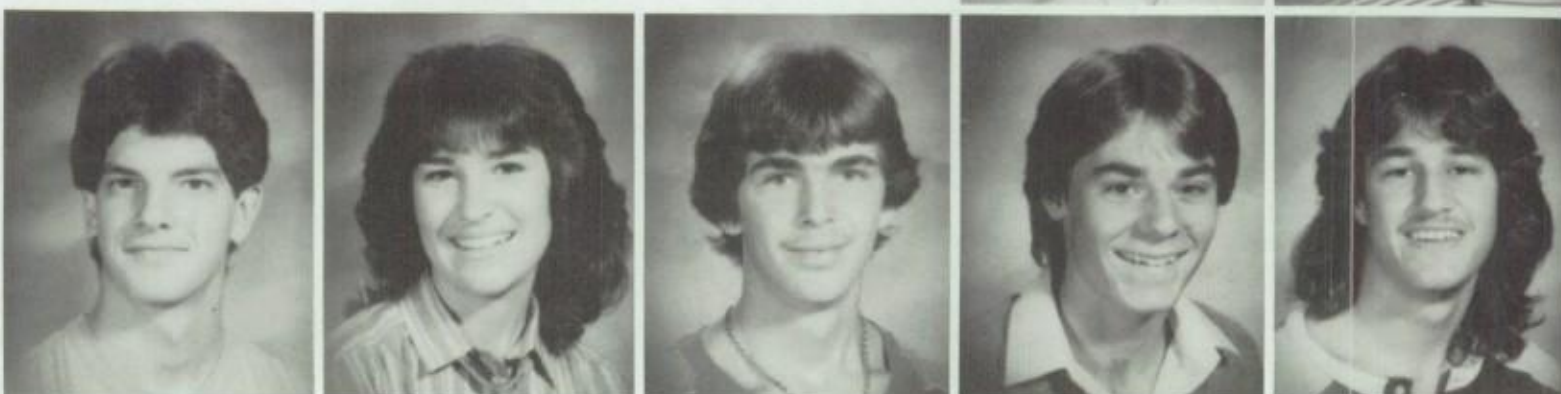


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Martinez, Mark



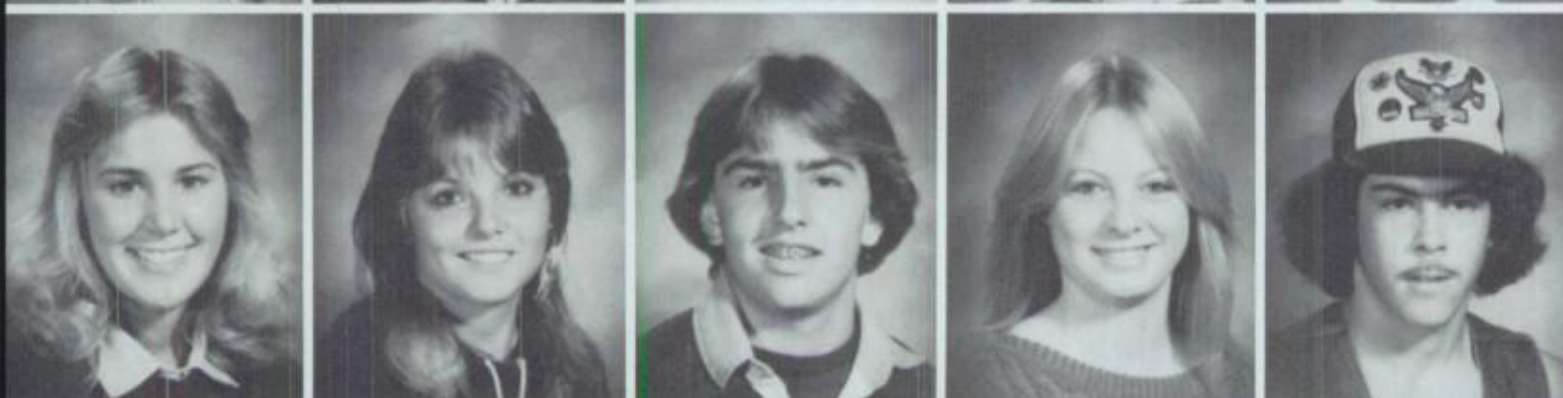
Grayson Magana dives into one of the cafeteria's infamous foods.

Marx, Don
Massa, Julie
Matthiessen, Rick
McCord, Steve
McCown, Greg





McCoy, Debbie
McEntire, Katie
Melz, Steve
Mercado, Stanley
Messina, Steve



Meyberg, Sherry
Mickleson, Tina
Milazzo, Marcus
Miller, Tammy
Molina, Patrick



Moradi, Amir
Moradkhan, Ashourbell
Morcare, Raoul
Morris, Lisa
Muller, David



Munoz, Mike
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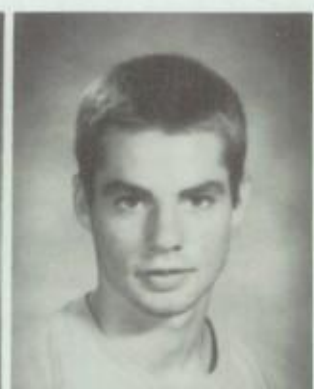
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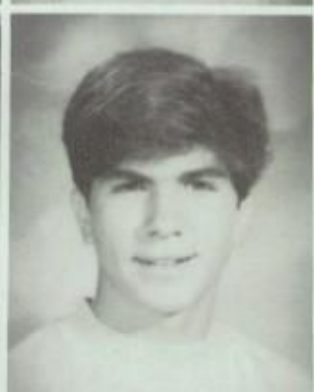
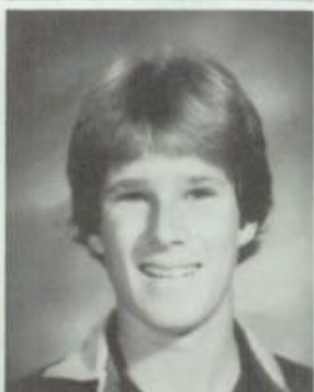
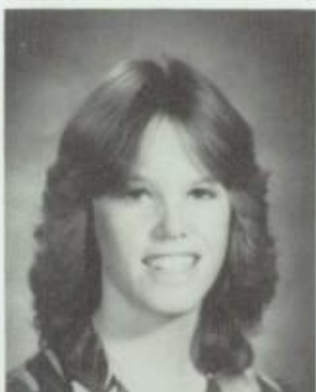
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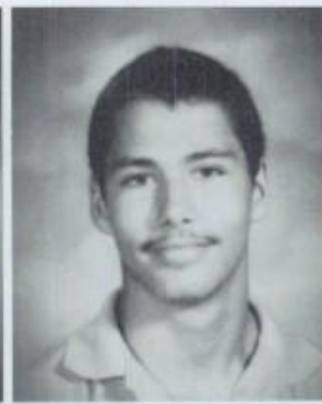


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 Prouty, Jim



Punches, Wendy
 Radomski, Frank
 Raney, Stephanie
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Regalado, Gabriel
Reiss, Greg
Ringe, Jack
Robinson, Amber
Rocha, Shawn



At halftime, Mustang fans take advantage of the new snack shack.



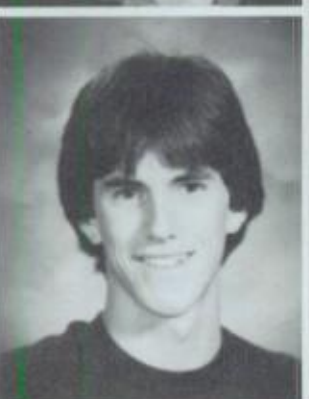
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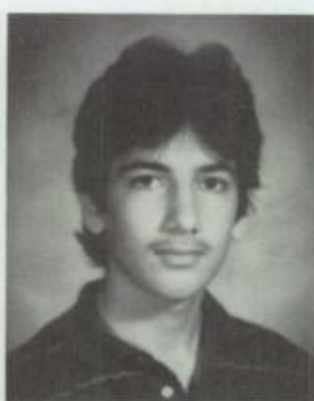


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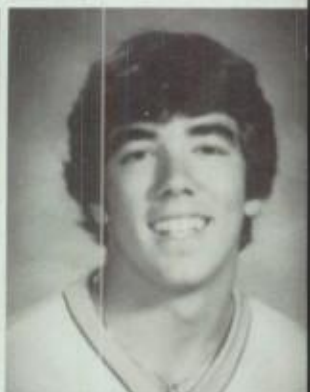


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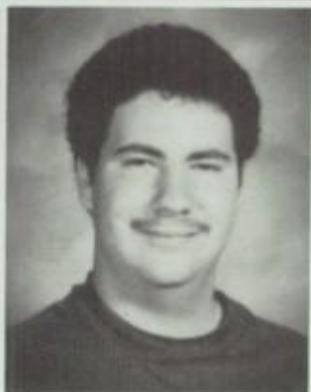
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Smith, Ed



Smith, Geoff
Snee, Lisa
Sosini, Mike
Sorce, Gino
Sorrell, Tammy



Southern, Tom
Sportswood, Robin



Sprowl, Tom
Standard, Marisa



Students seek shade during lunch.





Julie Massa gives a toast to Pioneer.



Stranger, Lori
Starks, Judy



Straton, Shannon
Sreer, Scott



Sterling, Mark
Stickney, Robin
Strofer, Mark
Stalk, Tom
Surgeon, John



Sunseri, Joe
Sutphin, Ben
Svensson, Erik
Swanson, Laura
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Testa, Sherry
Thomas, Nikki

Caring For Others . . .

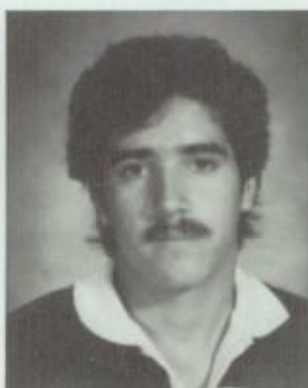
"This past Christmas, I wanted to do something with kids," said Dan Banuelos, a quiet but extraordinary junior at Pioneer. After several sessions with San Jose Hospital, Dan was put in touch with the Psychiatric Care for Abused Children unit of the hospital. Here children who have been abused, neglected, or are victims of some tragedy receive full-time psychiatric care. These children, ages 7 to 14, live and go to school at the hospital, spending their time cut off from the outside world.

Dan first met with the children of the unit. "Meeting the children was the best part," said Dan there are no windows in the unit; they can't look out; it's important to them that someone from the outside world looks in and cares." Next, Dan and his sister wrote an original play about the true meaning of Christmas. The cast consisted of Dan, his sister, friends from the U.A. Cinemas, and a Santa Claus. Costumes were donated by a local costume shop. Then Dan and his friends collected toys.

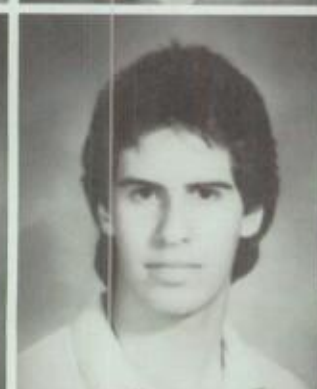
On December 2, the play was presented to the children and the cast received a standing ovation at its conclusion. This "made the whole project worth while," said Dan.



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Tschantzahn, Mike
Vaddiparty, Vasu

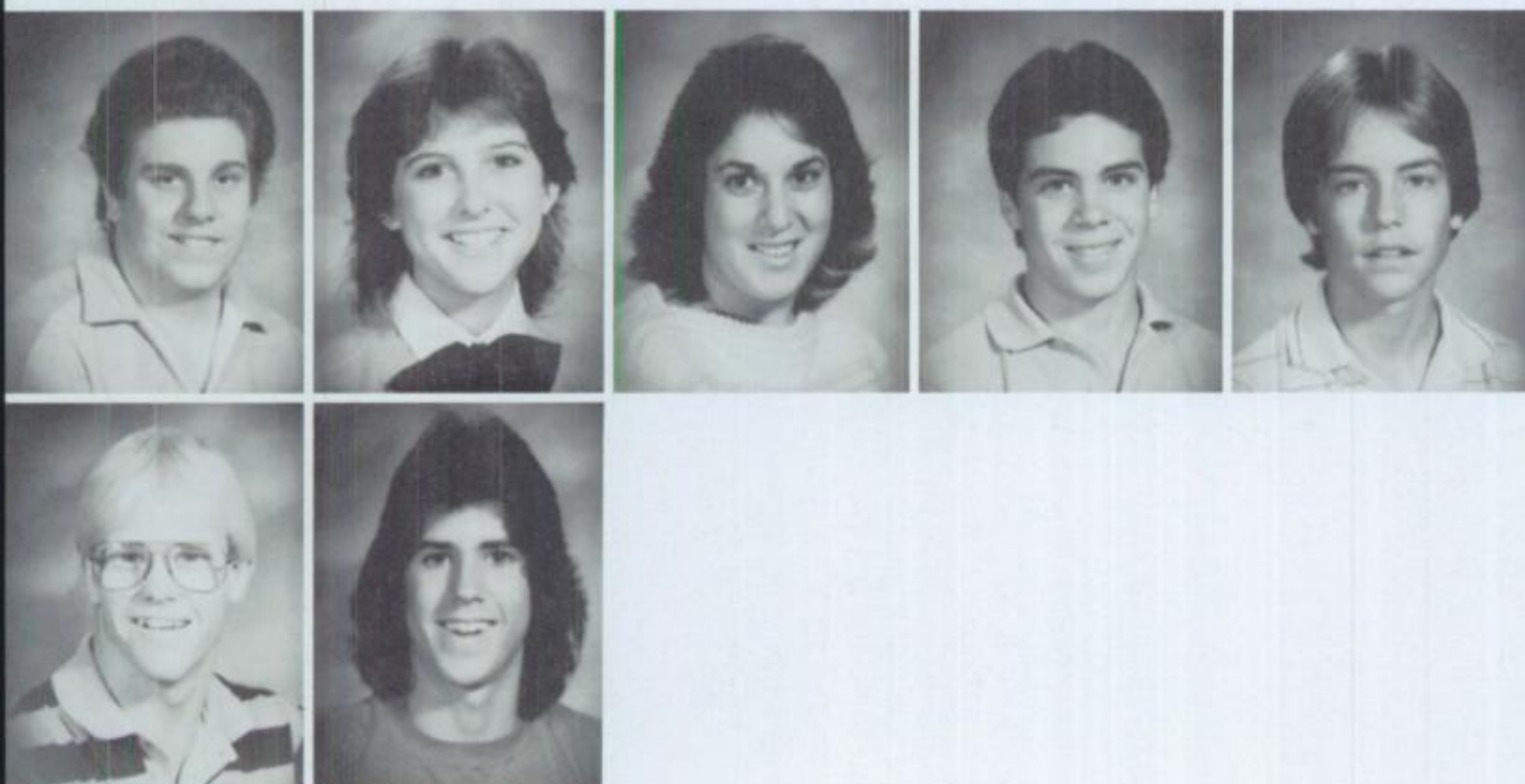


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Vargas, Anthony
Vasquez, Lisa
Villa, Mike
Vizcarra, Ralph



Wassenberg, Kim
Warkins, Paul
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Welson, Diana





Westhefer, Dan
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Willis, Willyne
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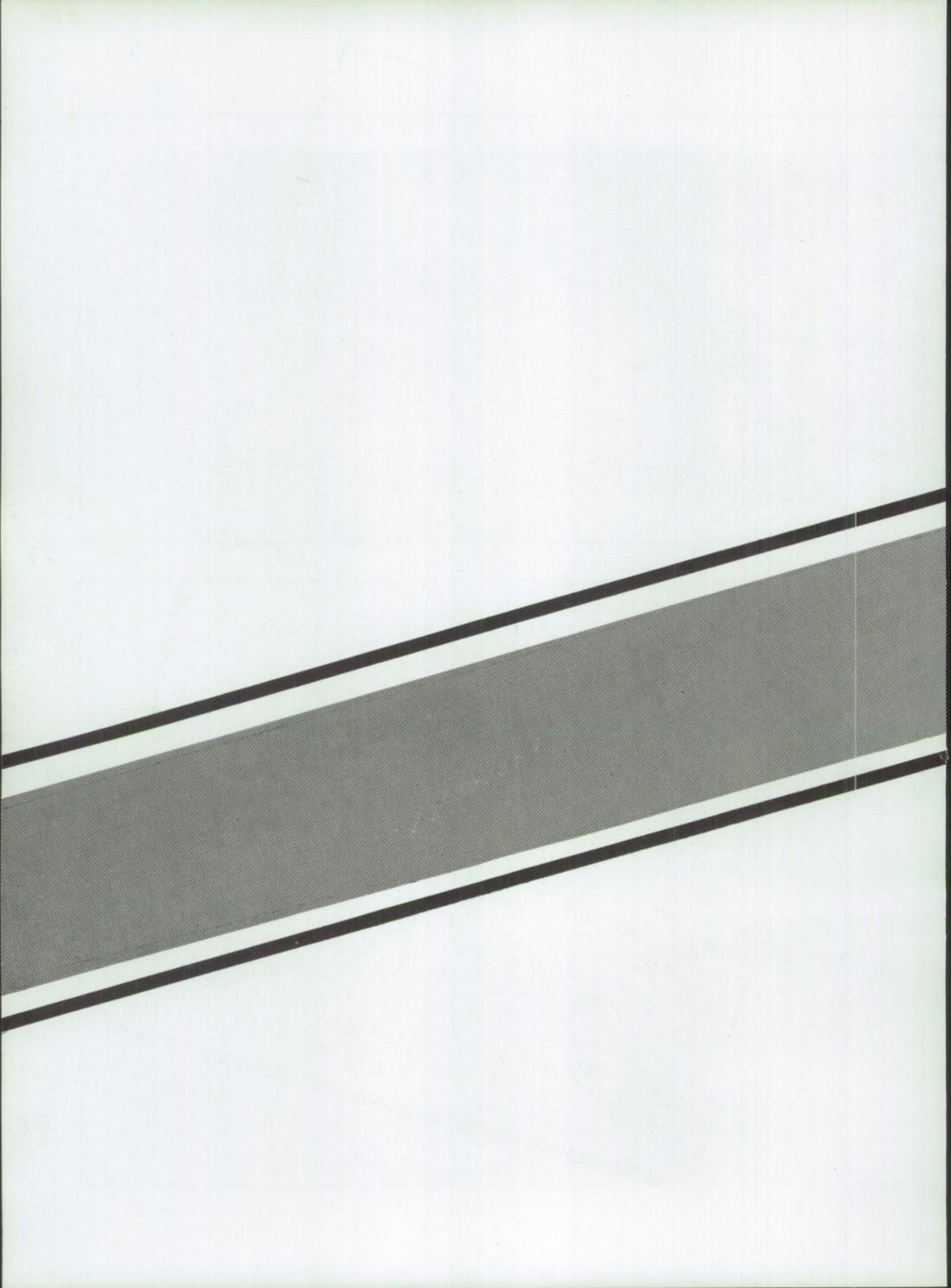
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Allen, Kelly
Ayotte, Craig
Bauer, Amy
Berry, George
Bowman, Barbara
Braun, David
Braun, Teresa
Duelna, Yverre
Cassia, Giovanni
Chadwick, John
Chamberlain, Cody
Claver, Patrick
Copeland, John
Corrales, Joe
Cropek, Douglas
Cruz, Ronald
Delossantos, Perry
Derksen, Will
Doolittle, Jean
Ellenwood, Donald
Fadda, JoAnna
Ferguson, Gary
Firman, Lorna

Gleason, Elizabeth
Grimm, Ingrid
Hageman, Stephen
Hansen, Robert
Hardin, John
Heater, Staci
Hendrick, Ehrich
Jackson, Scott
James, Laura
Jordan, Mark
Juarez, Todd
Kidwiler, Lisa
Kliebenstein, Ken
Leaverron, Neil
League, Cynthia
Lopes, David
Lopez, Frank
Maier, Daniela
McGill, Chris
Mendence, Craig
Miguel, Charles
Nelson, Diana
Orsborn, Samuel

Perry, Sylvia
Pitsch, Dambi
Post, James
Rich, Joseph
Rine, Dana
Ruiz, Rodney
Safari, Behnam
Saldivar, Laura
Simas, Anthony
Steinwinder, Ken
Talbot, Greg
Tharp, Craig
Valles, Alfredo
Vu, Puong
Wall, Patrick
Wilkins, Pamela
Wilson, Darrell
Wilson, Mike
Zajec, Mike
Zapara, Daniel
Zettlemoyer, Bob
Zeunert, Karen



Sophomores

stacy!
 Hey there! I'm glad we became friends again! I think you're
 super sweet. That's not a bad thing! If I don't see you this
 summer make a great one and I'll see ya next year.
 Best of luck.

Lozen-stuff,
 Stacy



THE SOPHOMORES

Abrahamian, Aileen
Adams, Jolanda
Afanador, Jennifer
Aichele, Srefanie
Albers, Darin



Alexander, Norman
Allen, Lori



Alpers, Herb
Anderson, Regina



Andrews, Jill
Armour, Helmut



Todd Collins, munchin' and rockin'.

Armstrong, Star
Aulman, Rhonda
Backstrom, Scott
Bailey, Susan
Baiocchi, Ken



Balistreri, Tony
Ballantyne, Julia
Bannister, Claire
Barista, Tamie
Barraglia, Vince



Beamon, Joe
Bechrel, Cathy
Beckstrom, Eric
Bedard, Michele
Bernath, Cheryl



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Berri, Tammy
Berry, Tony
Biederman, Nicole
Birtola, Carmella
Bisceglie, Mike

Block, David
Blair, Bruce
Blanchette, Laura
Blank, Greg
Bliss, Tracy



Boatwright, Brett
Bobuneh, Nancy
Book, Deanna
Brandt, Robert
Branscum, Jeannette



Lisa Malkon waits patiently for an answer.



Brentlinger, Kathy
Brickman, Steve



Bruner, Tanya
Brunner, Kim



Burks, Stacia
Burns, Colleen



Butler, Jeff
Cackler, Derek
Caldwell, Scott
Calhoun, Nicole
Cardoza, Joe

Carlozzi, Sara
Chapman, Becky
Chichmanian, Renalda
~~Chiponis, Jennifer~~
Craulo, P.J.



Cohn, Mike
Conner, Shawn



Super Sophomore . . .

For the second year in a row Lisa Green led the girls' tennis team to victory. After last year's 24-0 season, Lisa continued her excellence with only one loss this year and was a major factor in the success of the Pioneer team. She won the Santa Teresa Athletic League finals and held on to her number one spot. Passing up the C.C.S. finals, Lisa journeyed to Kansas City for a major tournament where she scored two wins over top U.S. players.

Lisa has played tennis for six years and plans to continue on the Pioneer team next year. All this recognition does not come without long hours of work. She practices her tennis whenever she can, and this practice has brought her very close to perfect. Pioneer is proud to have Lisa Green on the girls' tennis team, and many hope to see her as a future professional tennis player.

Cook, Jolinda
Cool, Mandy
Cox, Lori
Cross, Bryan
Cunningham, Tina



Curtis, Glen
Damon, Linda
Darrin, Heidi
David, Jim
Davidson, Christine



Dion, Chris
Dixon, Ann
Do, Wayne
Dominick, Tina
Drake, Mike





Drosdat, Monica
DuBois, Jason
Egan, John
Engh, Chris
Ervin, Ronda



Espy, Lori
Evans, Dean
Fedak, Teri
Fenton, April
Fernando, Mark



Ferranti, Anthony
Finelli, Ralph
Fleischacker, Michele
Fleming, Dominic
Fong, Cori



Force, Brian
Fountain, Melanie
Fowler, Kim
Friedman, Victor
Gabrielsen, Rein



Gadberry, Dawn
Gairan, Ray
Garcia, Delphina
Gardner, Sherry
Garner, Paige



Garnier, Kelly
Garnier, Michelle
Garza, Tami
Geiss, Megan
Gerard, Jill



Gibson, Paula
Gibson, Rachel
Gillin, Jim
Giordano, Rosana
Go, Corinne

Goldfarb, Bryan
Gonzales, Christine
Goo, Ed
Goo, Por
Graham, Terrence



Green, Jennifer
Green, Lisa
Greenfield, Shari
Guardino, Joe
Guidace, Francis



Guillen, Jesse
Hageman, Jim
Handshy, Tina
Hartley, Shawn
Haydamack, Craig



Haynes, Shirley
Heinrichs, Michelle
Hendel, Vanessa
Herlihy, Jim
Hill, Lauri



Hiser, Steve
Hofer, Alyssa
Holland, David
Holmberg, Tim
Hopkins, Mike



Horchkiss, Diane
Howell, Sonja
Hunter, Eric
Hurt, Lansel
Imobersteg, Rob

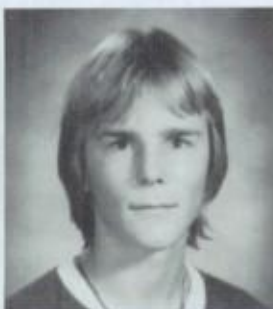


Irvine, Amy
Jacobsen, Michelle
James, Jason
Jenkins, Robyn
Jimenez, Sheryl





Glen Temple exhibits his usual good humor.



Jisser, Mimi
Johnson, David



Johnson, Lynna
Johnson, Sara



Jones, Kathy
Jones, Steve



Jordan, Carrie
Kamal, Fareh
Kerkoc, Kristina
Kerman, Steven
Khatchatourian, Melina



Kiragawa, Derek
Kokeny, Filex
Kostren, Ken
Korla, Kelly
Krueger, Mary



Lamar, Tyrone
Lambert, Mike
Langedyk, Tom
LaPointe, Andrea
Lee, Jerry



Lee, Jon
Levy, Lisa
Lewis, Camie
Lichri, Tom
Lien, Mike

Liffengren, Paul
Likeness, Chris

Lindley, Margret
Linron, Laurie



Diane Horkkiss and Sharon Maines socialize during the lunch hour.



Locke, Alex
Lonac, Todd
Lopez, Kellie
Lovell, Jerry
Lucas, Eric



Lyrie, Stacy
Magee, John
Marorino, Kim
Malkon, Lisa
Martin, Melissa



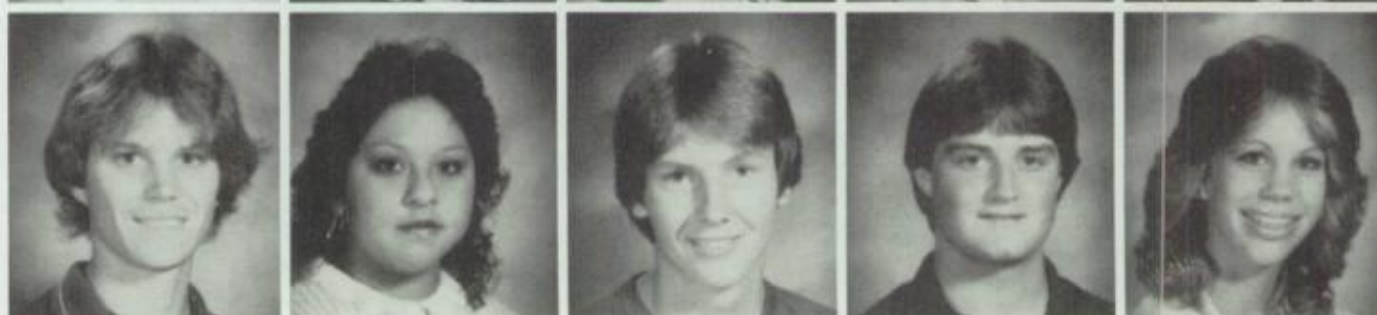
Martinez, Frank
Marumoto, Dawn
Mauldin, Debbie
McCarthy, Jerelyn
McClendon, Anne



McEntire, Karen
McKelvey, Kelly
McPheeyers, Keirsten
Meech, Jim
Meek, Pamela



Meininger, Steve
Mendoza, Sylvia
Messerli, David
Miller, Jim
Miller, Mirzi





Minch, Jeff
Mirchell, Kris
Modderman, David
Mollo, Laurie
Monrelindo, Larisa



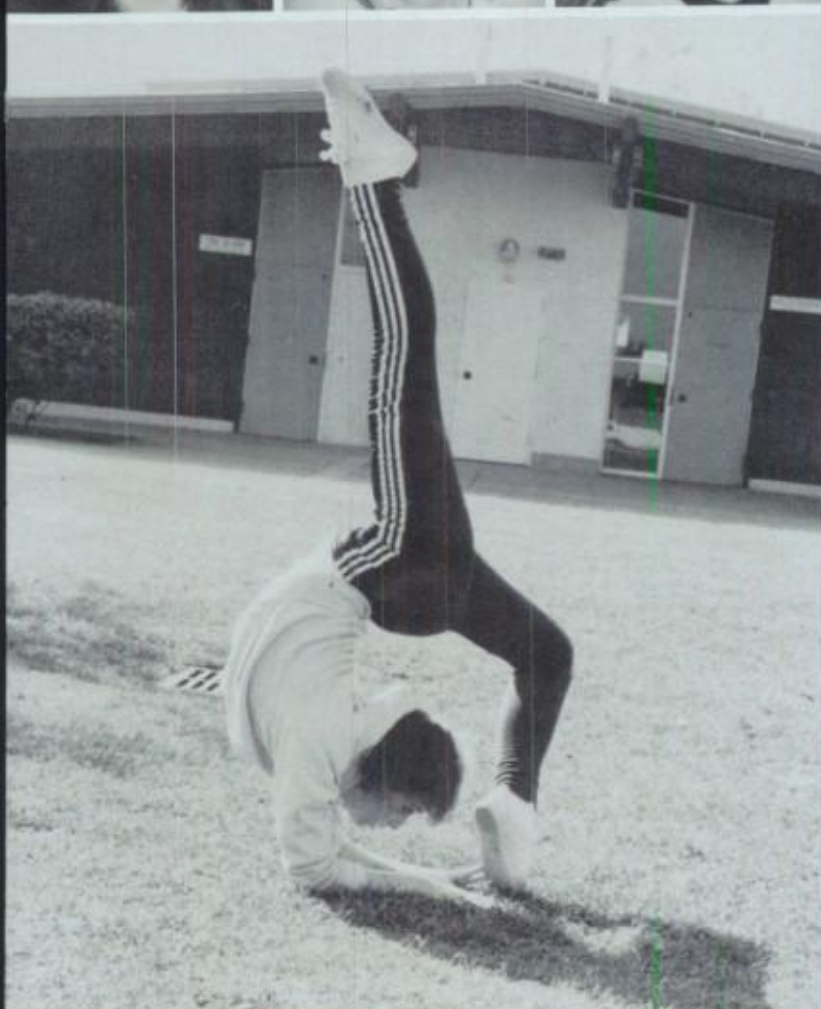
Montgomery, Brenda
Monry, Brian
Moore, George
Moore, Jeff
Moraga, Mike



Moredi, Stacey
Morrow, Cindy
Mustaca, Tony
Nakano, Kurt
Nakiarka, Jeff



Nevis, Julia
Nichol, Steve
Nijmeh, Alex
Ochoa, Roberto
Odiome, Danny



Okubo, Jeff
Olah, Scott

Dancing Her Way To Fame . . .

Sharon Maines, a sophomore here at Pioneer, is a very accomplished, all-around dancer. Sharon has been dancing since the age of five years old, and started gymnastics at the age of ten. She dances between sixteen and twenty-one hours a week at the Alice Faye Myers Studio of Dance and also at the West Coast Academy for gymnastics. After completing high school, Sharon plans to pursue her professional career in dance in New York City. She has appeared on such television programs as: the Disneyland Channel Show in February, the News, and also on various commercials for the Santa Clara County Fair.

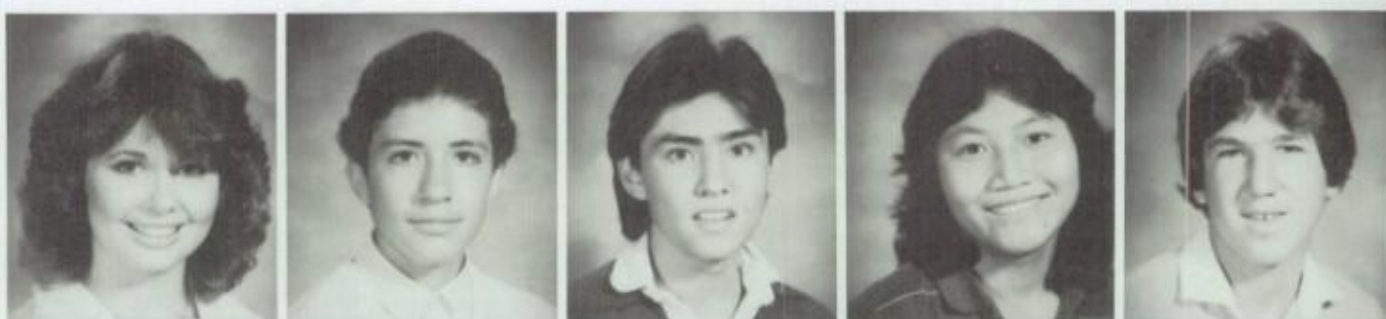
Sharon loves dancing, and favors jazz and gymnastics. She also trains in baller, rap, and acrobatics. Sharon has won many awards and trophies for performances in local, county, and state competitions. When asked why she enjoys dancing Sharon said, "I started dancing very young, and it became a part of me." Sharon is definitely an outstanding Pioneer sophomore!

Oliver, Denise
Olson, Brian
Orlowski, Jim
Orozco, Memo
Palma, Jeff



Palmer, Grant
Papalias, Karen
Parker, Sonia
Pasteniels, Chrissy
Patrick, Craig

Pennell, Camille
Peterson, Brian
Peterson, Jim
Phommanichanh,
Vanhsty
Piazzisi, Kevin



Pinch, Carol
Pinckney, Derry
Porwin, Scott
Preto, Bill
Prime, Dennis



Prince, Andrea
Ramirez, Renee
Randle, Paul
Raymond, Frank
Remen, Amy



Reno, Michelle
Reynolds, Andrea
Reynolds, Wendy
Richardson, Judy
Richardson, Rob



Rodriguez, Mike
Rodriguez, Ron
Rogers, Kathleen
Rooks, Catherine
Rose, Dan





Ruffner, John
Rush, Jill
Salinas, Lisa
SanFilippo, Adrienne
Sanna, Paul



Sarge, Jeff
Sargent, Ann
Savage, Matt
Schaff, Jim
Scheerger, Lois



Schwenker, Lisa
Sealy, Kim
Shah, Mark
Shah, Ramona
Sheary, Mark



Sophomores show the latest fashions



Sheff, Becky



Sheridan, Sybil



Shopshire, Greg



Silva, Thomas
Singer, Shirley
Smith, Daryn
Smithson, Troy
Soinski, Bob

High Achievement . . .

Laura Blanchette, a sophomore at Pioneer, was a worthy competitor in the 1984 Miss California National Teenager Pageant held at the Los Angeles Hyatt Hotel.

The prestigious academic, as well as beauty, contest sought only the finest contestants. A lengthy application had to be completed and with Laura's 4.0 grade point average, she was immediately accepted. Aside from Laura's academic achievements, other accomplishments included her volunteer work at a retirement home, various church activities, and active participation in the California Scholarship Federation, honors classes, and yearbook.

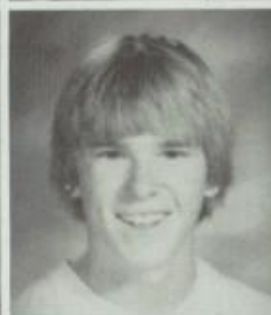
Upon qualifying for the competition itself, Laura had the tedious task of preparing for the event. An essay, "What is Right about America?" had to be written. Rules of etiquette had to be reviewed to prepare for the constant judging during the pageant weekend. Laura claims the evening gown portion of the pageant, when contestants were escorted by their fathers, was her favorite, saying, "It was like a fairy tale come true for me."



Sorensen, Kirk
Sowder, Chris
Stanton, Debbie
Stewart, Chris
Stroner, Jim



Straughn, Dave
Stryer, Kim
Swafford, Robert
Takera, Allyson
Tan, Linda



Tashiro, Scott
Terpko, Susie
Thomas, Carolyn
Thomas, Jeff
Thompson, Mike



Todd, Karyn
Trillo, Ralph
Trueblood, Jeff
Truong, Betty
Tuomi, Mike



Utz, Stacia
Vaccarello, Kim
Verville, Bill
Viero, Lorraine
Vollmer, Beverly





Wadsworth, Terry
Wall, Lisa
Weathersbee, Dawn
Weinstein, Suzie
Wesson, Helen

Wheeler, Dede
White, Karen
Wiggins, Robert
Willmes, Molly
Wilson, Erik

CAMERA SHY

Ahnemann, Dennis
Anderson, James
Blake, Duane
Camarda, Frank
Carmody, Jon
Cascio, Gina
Chargin, Curtis
Collins, Todd
Conner, Kevin
Cropek, Thomas
Custer, Andrew
Elwood, Mitchell
Flanagan, Sherry
Hardin, Frank
Harlin, Larry

Haven, Christine
Heater, Bradley
Houser, Michael
Jones, Thomas
Kemp, Christopher
Kennedy, Steven
Larussa, Vincent
Lopez, Ansel
Loureiro, John
Magnuson,
Maines, Sharon
Martin, Brian
Morris, Jacqueline
Neuman, Jerry
O'Brien, Shannon

Olson, Michael
Rattan, Sean
Reiss, Patrick
Safari, Sahar
Sanchez, Steven
Sjostrom, Christina
Szlasa, Jessie
Taylor, Marteen
Tellschow, Jedd
Temple, Glenn
Tubbiola, James
Vanderlei, Lavon
Vanderlei, Michael
Witten, Glenn



Wilson, Felicia
Wirmer, Glenn
Wolter, Janene
Woodruff, Jim
Worthington, Chucks

York, Heidi
Zapata, Louis
Zapfen, Mike

gillie
hey sweetie! well
its been nice having
you in typing this year
cuz your super sweet and
nice. But I say your had
those braces on for too long.
Dont you? I hope I get mine
off soon. will have a great
summer with Norman or who-
ever you like! love ya Lyna

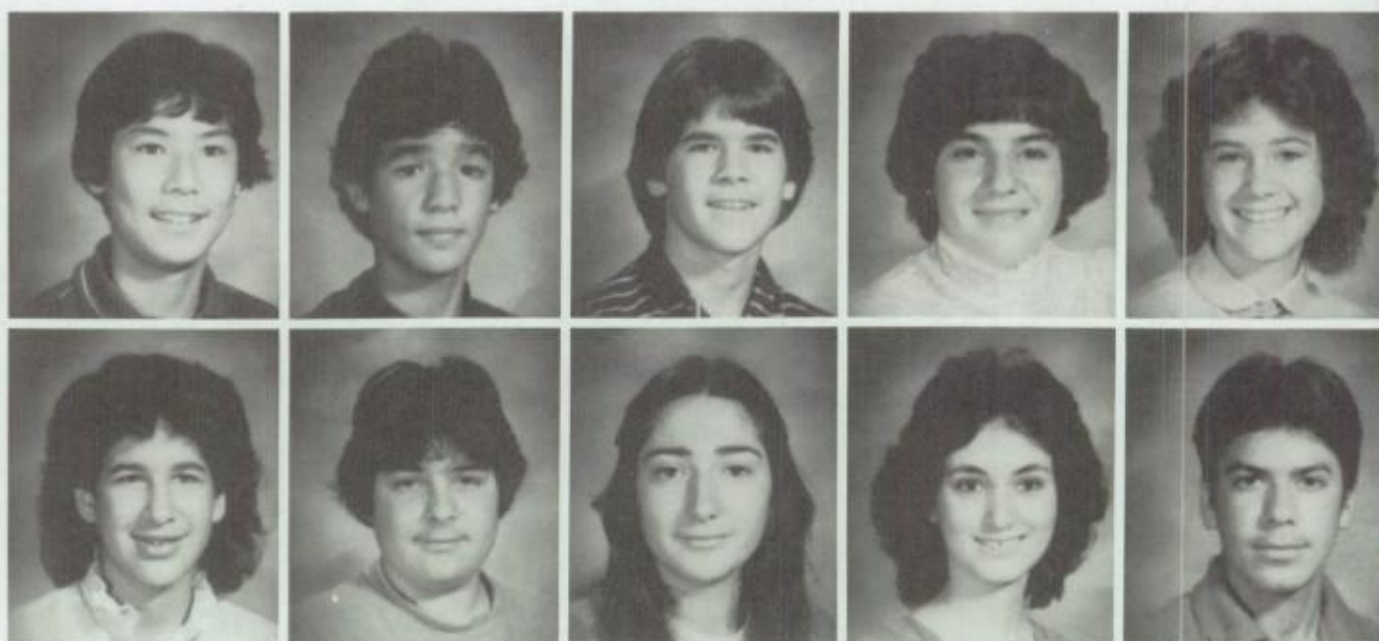
P.S. I'll
probably see
alot of you
this summer
cuz I'll be at
yours alot so
I wont say
K.I.T. & give
my # "K"

Freshmen



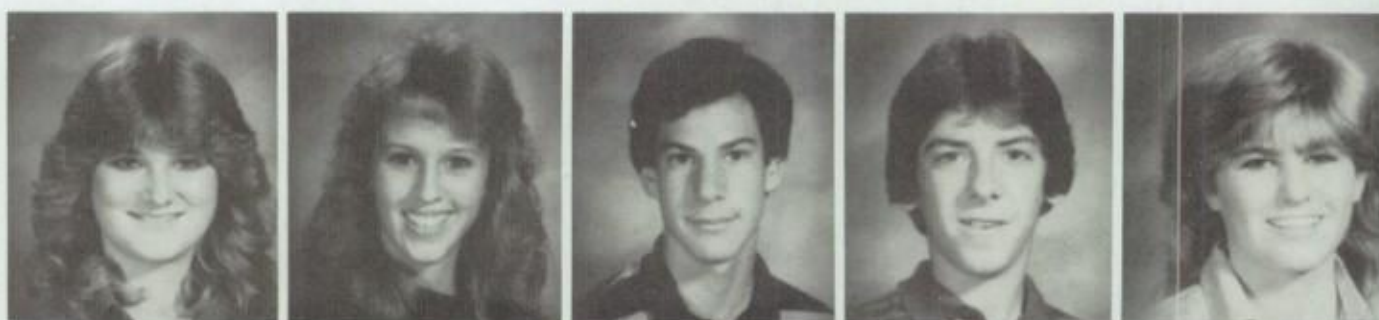
THE FRESHMEN

Abod, Rodd
Allen, Mike
Alleyn, Kevin
Angelucci, Debra
Armbruster, Diane



Arnaudy, Michelle
Arrants, Ty
Athanasopoulou, Stella
Aroule, Elena
Avila, John

Baker, Kelley
Barone, Lynn
Barraglia, Lenny
Beacom, Larry
Berg, Karen



Berrrand, Ken
Discardi, Jodie



Bishop, Mary
Bishop, Mike



Bizjak, John
Blevins, Lisa



These Freshmen try to show their meaner side.

Blume, Jim
Bongiorno, Brian
Bongiorno, Mike
Bonham, Mike
Borrego, Stacy

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Braley, Monica
Bright, Mike
Brim, Gary
Brooks, Stan
Brooks, Andre



Brown, Rob
Brunner, Ron



Durlison, Brandy
Buzick, Howard



Buzick, Winona
Candia, Lyle



Confield, Roger
Carstens, Shannon
Cerneka, Mark
Chapman, Bill
Choy, Shirley



Christian, Leilani
Collins, Jon
Connelly, Kim
Cool, Diana
Coon, Mike

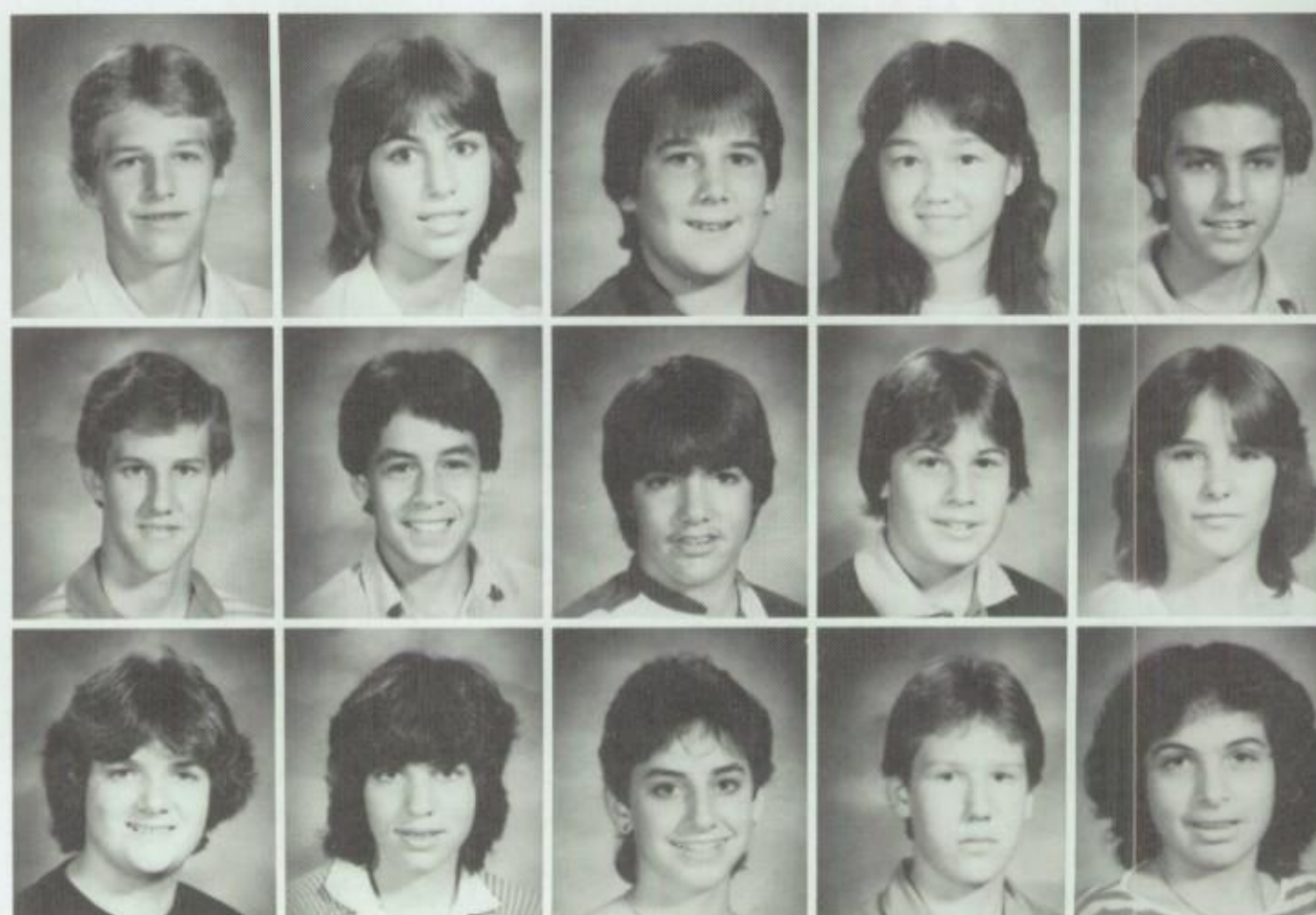


Correa, Joe
Correz, Theresa
Costarella, Anthony
Crabtree, James
Craig, Mike

Crisafulli, Joey
Crowley, Mike
Cushman, Todd
Dalcanto, Victoria
Dang, Son



Daniele, Michele
Daniels, Erik
Delage, Don
Denson, Darren
Derenzo, Stephanie

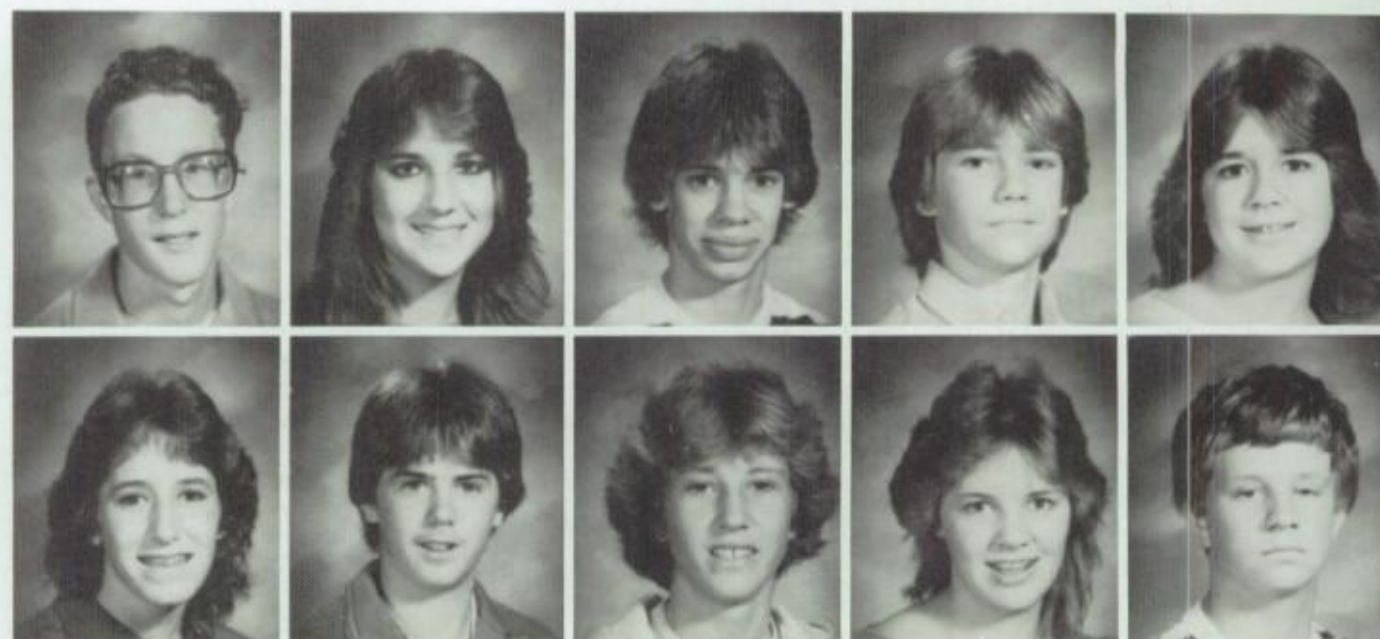


Derr, David
Diramoon, Shireen
Doane, Jeff
Dale, Cindy
Dorf, Barry

Dreblow, Scott
Drouksas, Chris
Dubois, Justin
Duffer, Troy
Duncan, Corrina

Dwyer, Mike
Egan, Patricia
Ehrlich, Amy
Eichorn, Ted
Eideh, Sona

Ervin, Mark
Evans, Brownyn
Eubank, Bryan
Fagan, Rick
Falkenhan, Jennifer



Ferdinand, Lisa
Filek, Gary
Fitzgibbons, Kevin
Fletcher, Patricia
Forster, Mark



Fontaine, John
Frantz, Brian
Frederick, Stacy
Frizzi, David
Gade, Kelley



Gain, Angela
Garcia, Lonnie

Athletic Talent Excels

One of many outstanding Pioneer students is Freshman, Andre' Brooks. Andre' was a member of the 1983-'84 Frosh-Soph football team, which received second place in district competition. He was nominated for first team All League, and he was voted "outstanding back" by fellow Mustangs on the team.

Andre' also participated on the J.V. basketball team. He played on the junior high level and decided to continue here at Pioneer. He was voted one of six M.V.P.'s at the Branham Tournament held on December 7, 8, and 9. Even though involved in many sports and activities, Andre' still managed to maintain a good grade point average. Pioneer salutes Andre'.



Gardner, Glen
Gaudin, David
Giawette, Alena
Gibb, Brian
Gibson, Raymond



Gillin, Phil
Gold, Jeff
Goos, Teri
Granado, Regina
Graun, Corrin



Grove, Brian
Gulan, John
Haggerty, Erin
Hamblin, Dave
Harris, Jim

Harrwick, Dona
Hawley, Lisa



Hazen, Damon
Head, Dadre



Head, Deanna
Head, Robert



Heid, Tracy
Heiser, Meredith
Heldt, Lynn
Hernandez, Mark
Heyman, Anne



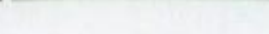
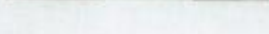
Hillsread, Jim
Hiura, Lisa
Ho, Maureen
Hogue, Steven
Hornig, Grace



Horton, David
Howell, Amy
Hufferd, Jeff
Huffman, Shannon
Hunt, Tiffany



Illies, Todd
Ingatz, David
Jackman, Mary
Jajala, Tom
Jones, Jerry





Jones, Regina
Joyner, Steve
Karmin, Doug
Khangaldian, Edmon
Killfoil, Kari



King, Angela
King, John
Kison, Jeff
Kirogawa, Jeff
Kirojima, Doug



Klein, Kim
Knadler, Julie
Knight, Stephanie
Kocina, Laura
Kondrath, Charlie



Kreiser, Andy
Kubai, Kathy



Kubai, Robert
Laform, Larry



Lambert, Bob
Langley, Debbie

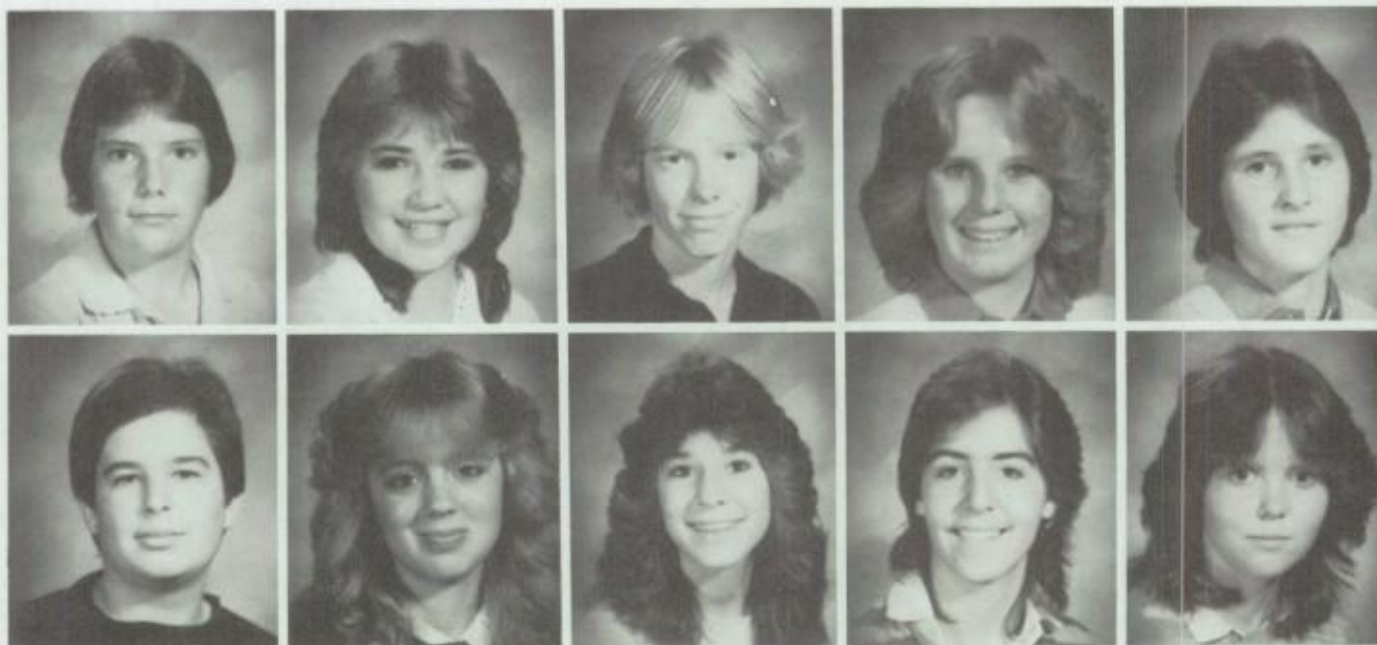


Life's so easy when you're a freshman.



Larosa, Lisa
Larrman, Pam
Lazar, Donovan
Leavitt, Ronald
Lee, Matthew

Lee, Robert
Leech, Angie
Lind, Mike
Lindsay, Jeffifer
Lindsay, Cassandra



Lonac, Joshua
Loney, Kelly
Lopez, Gina
Lowe, Dominique
Mackintosh, Margarer

Magallon, Michele
Magee, Katherine
Major, Jodi
Marseline, Troy
Marsh, Steven



Top Flight Performer

Jennifer Wilson, a freshman at Pioneer, has been involved in Children's Playhouse since first grade. The Children's Playhouse presents two major musical productions a year. It is divided into two separate age groups, each of which puts on a different play.

Jennifer feels that acting with the Children's Playhouse has given her the confidence needed to perform before an audience. It has helped her overcome her nervousness and let her personality show while performing. Pioneer takes pride in Jennifer Wilson as a performer.



Martin, Erik
Martinek, Carol



Martinez, Merisa
Maxwell, Kelly
Mayer, Josh
McAfee, Tom
McGarvey, Sheri





Debra Pounds and Melinda Wisinski tune into their favorite rock station.



McIntosh, Edward
McKinney, Kim

Meek, Kristine
Meininger, Tom



Meyer, Donna
Mickelson, Lee Ann
Mickelson, Kim
Miller, Suzie
Mini, Danielle



Misener, Brian
Molina, Linda
Moore, Chris
Moradi, Ramin
Morris, Scott



Murphrey, Traci
Murry, Gary
Murry, Jerry
Myers, Peter
Nero, Frank



Nichols, Cindy
Nichols, Sean
Nobler, Debbie
Nohelty, Steve
Novosel, Johanna



O'Dell, Kevin
Oki, Mark
Opray, Jim
O'Kear, Jay
Ostrowski, Howard

Paganini, Christina
 Palage, Chris
 Palma, Mike
 Pankratz, Chris
 Parker, Lisa



Parks, Kari
 Patel, Avani



Pearson, Darrin
 Pearson, Ron



Peraza, Jose
 Perkins, Angel



I wish this line would hurry up, I'm starving!

Peterson, Derek
 Peterson, Janet
 Phillips, Kevin
 Pigue, Greg
 Pisano, Anthony



Pomeroy, Wendy
 Pounds, Debra
 Power, Jill
 Prolo, Kris
 Pugsley, Jennifer



Read, Thor
 Reams, Ed
 Remen, Beth
 Richmond, Nicole
 Ringelberg, Tracy





Rochette, Tino
Rumsey, Doug
Sanchez, Jorge
Sando, Michelle
Sands, Jim



Sarros, Ariadne
Schrick, Cathy
Sellarole, Jim
Shah, Pali
Slager, Tiffany



Smith, Daniel
Smith, Derick
Smith, Doug
Smith, Gina
Smith, Philip



Smithson, Trent
Sperry, John
Sprowl, Mary
Stralions, Phil
Strallings, Mike



Srefani, Eve
Steffin, Gretchen



Srolp, John
Sronehocker, Mike



Streck, Matt
Sullivan, Sean



Pioneer students discuss the day's homework.

Supanchiak, Janean
Swafford, Rebecca
Taber, Don
Tappero, Mike
Tarango, Pere



Teixeira, Debbie
Teixeira, Judy
Thenot, Nicole
Theobald, Tammy
Thiel, Don

Toney, Frankie
Townes, David
Turner, Jeff
Turner, Julie
Ulrich, Eric



Underwood, Tanya



Valenzuela, Jackie

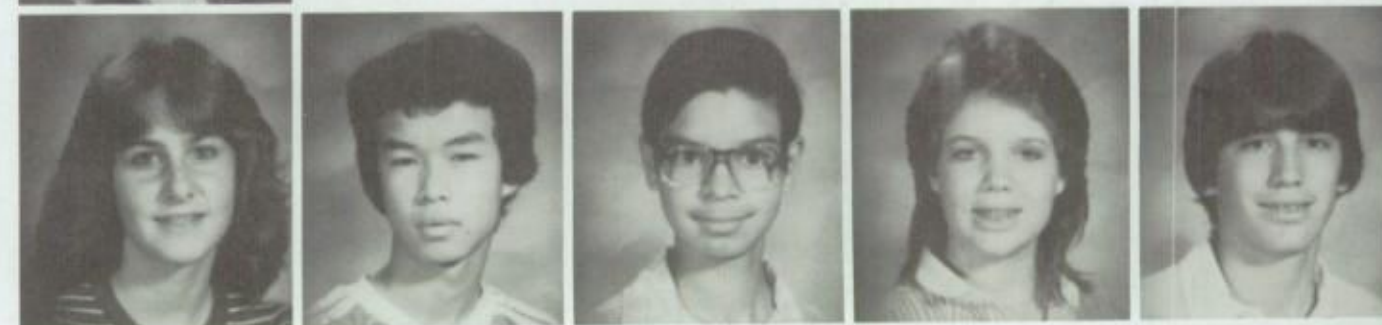


Vanduren, Jennifer



Students line up to order their yearbooks.

Vollmer, Vicki
Vu, Vinh
Ward, Peter
Wells, Raquel
Wheeler, Scott





Williams, Mike
Williams, Steve



Wilson, Jennifer
Wilson, Katey

CAMERA SHY

Avila, James
Banks, Wendy
Bhopale, Sunil
Blackwell, Charles
Briese, Jeffrey
Bruha, Brian
Caldera, Cindy
Clairemont, Mark
Courtney, Michael
Delacruz, Joe
Derksen, Rachael
Fathi, Kayvan
Fortier, Kimberly
Foster, Donald
Freeland, Ronnie
Garland, Leland
Goins, Christina
Gonser, Sean
Gonzales, Antonio
Granda, Paul
Haley, Donald

Headsten, Stephen
Herrera, Stefanie
Hifai, Jean
Horne, Daniel
Houser, Kenneth
Jisser, Susie
Johnson, Jon Paul
Lawson, Darrell
Lewis, Joshua
Lu, David
Maloara, Andrew
Mandarich, Robert
Martin, James
Miguel, Dale
Modderman, Cindy
Moreci, Christine
Mundy, Daniel
Nijmeh, Maggy
Olson, Robert
Parsons, Patricia
Piramon, Shireen

Rezabeck, Brett
Ryans, Maurice
Samide, Shawn
Santilli, Joseph
Scocca, David
Snow, Shawn
Stamm, Mary
Straples, Rob
Stravrum, Thomas
Struman, Donald
Suh, Lilian
Swafford, Rebecca
Tanju, Jai
Thompson, Lori
Tiscornia, Michael
Todd, Carrie
Togersen, Bradley
Villarreal, Fidel
Vinson, John
Watson, James



Wisinski, Melinda
Wong, Torbert
Wright, Carrie
Yates, Don
Yung, Debra



Zaro, Jeff
Zertlemayer, John
Zertlemayer, Sharon

Julie

Adam
unt

lives

hey how's the life?

well this yr. has gone
by so fast. Oh well

Best of luck in the future.

love ya ~~xxxx~~ 948-1484

Patricia



Julie,
so here we are! Our
freshman year is over!
You're a great person
& this summer, take
care, don't let any-
one get you down!
I really enjoyed
watching you play
softball & basket-
ball. I expect to
see you out there
next year! See
you in 3 months!
S, Mary
Spencer

Activities



G.S.B. AND S.R.B. . . . PROMOTING PIONEER PRIDE



Top Left: Inga Davis helping at the Homecoming Dance. **Top Right:** G.S.B. taking pride in the successful Homecoming Parade. **Above:** Diana Snyder taking minutes at the S.R.B. meeting. **Right:** G.S.B. officers: Jeff Kreiser, president; Inga Davis, vice president; Diana Snyder, secretary; Lisa Talpas treasurer.



The G.S.B. (General Student Body) is led by four very qualified individuals, President Jeff Kreiser, Vice President Inga Davis, Secretary Diana Snyder, and Treasurer Lisa Talpas. These G.S.B. officers were elected at the end of the 1982-'83 school year by the general student body.

To accept one of these offices was to take on a great responsibility. Not only did G.S.B. work with Vice Principal Ridley to plan the student calendar of events, but they also presided over and ran the executive board and S.R.B. monthly meetings. The G.S.B. had to make tough decisions on where to spend a \$40,000 budget, which greatly helped the sports program, school activities, spirit, etc. G.S.B.'s biggest accomplishment this year was the encouragement of school spirit and the promotion of a better perspective of Pioneer by all.



The duties of G.S.B. ranged from menial tasks such as stocking the coke machines, updating the marquis, and distributing flag raising duties to creative efforts such as putting on the Homecoming. The "Welcome Back Dance" as well as the "Hawaiian Bash Dance" were sponsored by the G.S.B. They also worked with the Parents and Booster Clubs to get the entire Pioneer community more involved with school activities.

Student Representative Board, or S.R.B., is made up of officers and representatives from the classes, clubs, and organizations here at Pioneer. At meetings each group had a chance to explain planned activities and to ask for needed help or suggestions. Any issues facing Pioneer as a whole were discussed and, if possible, solved. Approval of the budget and reviewing and updating of the Pioneer High School Constitution were executed at meetings. G.S.B. working together with S.R.B. did a superb job this year.

Top Left: Allyson Takera and Larisa Montelinda listen attentively at the S.R.B. meeting. **Middle:** S.R.B. members contemplate a decision. **Bottom:** The S.R.B. office club!



PIONEER'S NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Pioneer High School's National Honor Society is a very prestigious organization. Members are not simply selected at random; rather, applications are reviewed carefully and membership is determined by a strict committee. The selection committee judges each prospective member in four areas, scholarship, leadership, service and character. After the selection process is completed, an initiation ceremony is planned to install new members into N.H.S.

The four criteria for acceptance are judged throughout the year and certain guidelines must be met. **LEADERSHIP:** Members must have served in a leadership role either in the community or here at school. **SERVICE:** Although service to the school is important, to meet this requirement members have donated some free time to benefit the community, and once in the club, they are expected to continue service to the community in various ways. **SCHOLARSHIPS:** A grade point average **MUST** be maintained in order to remain in the honors club. **CHARACTER:** The attitudes and personalities of club members must be beneficial to themselves and others as well as to the club.

This year, two installation ceremonies were held. February 1 was the first ceremony at which fifteen members were welcomed. The spring ceremony added other qualified members. The National Honor Society at Pioneer continues to grow and remains an important facet of Pioneer pride.



TOP SCHOLARS . . . ACADEMICALLY ON TOP



Bottom Left: Jenifer Remen. **Left:** Michael Prime. **Middle:** Inga Davis. **Above:** Michelle Dion.



This year's Top Scholars at Pioneer were indeed top students, for each of them had an enviable 4.0 average. Michelle Dion, Inga Davis, Michael Prime and Jenifer Remen were our four top students of excellence! A grade point average of 4.0 is a difficult thing to obtain and an even more difficult thing to maintain. Advanced classes as well as extra curricular activities make remaining in the top scholar category a remarkable accomplishment.

Each of the four top scholars featured here was enrolled in extremely demanding and advanced classes. Three of the four took physics as an elective. Inga Davis, the exception, took physiology. Each of them was also found in Advanced Placement English at some time during the school day, and either Calculus or Math Analysis were their selections from the Math Department. Michelle Dion added Physical Education and Computer Programming to her schedule while Mike Prime took Physical Education and Auto Mechanics.

Extra curricular activities occupied much time for Jenifer Remen and Inga Davis. Participating as a member of Spirit Squad took a large part of Jenifer's school day. Games, as well as practices, kept her busy and in good shape for her position on the tennis team. The prestigious and difficult job of GSB vice president was held by Inga, who performed her duties with confidence and skill.

Congratulations to these four Pioneer students already on their way to an outstanding college life and a prosperous future.

ACADEMIC DECATHLON



THE PARTICIPANTS: Steve Boone, Inga Davis, Bob Gunter, Mike Ivanirsky, Jeff Kreiser, Sylvia Perry, Stephanie Raney, and Kevin Thurber.

THE COACHES: Mrs. Burrows and Mr. Stark.

THE EVENT: THE ACADEMIC DECATHLON.

The Academic Decathlon consists of a block of ten "events," including six written tests ranging from math to the arts, an essay, an interview, two speeches, and a Super Quiz. This might sound like a crazy thing in which to get involved, but eight Pioneer students did just that, stretching their brain power to the limit on November 19, 1983.

When all the scantron bubbles were filled, speeches presented, and questions answered, Pioneer placed a very respectable tenth out of twenty-eight teams. Their score of 33,301 points was good enough to beat all other S.T.A.L. teams, save Leland and other prestigious schools including Santa Clara, Mitty, Bellarmine, and Los Altos.

The many hours spent during lunch and after school also paid off in additional ways. Jeff Kreiser took first place in the interview competition and third place in the economics exam. Mike Ivanirsky had the highest individual point total on the team. All team members and coaches received recognition at an awards banquet held December 1. The coaches of the team, Mrs. Burrows and Mr. Stark, should be given special credit. They both stuck with the responsibility of coaching the team in the face of pressure due to teacher unrest at the beginning of the year. Without these two individuals, the team would not have existed.

The success of the team was a direct result of each individual contributing as a part of the whole. Accomplishments achieved from this attitude have made fellow students as well as the school community more aware of Pioneer's potential.



CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION



Front Row: Dave Pearson, Jeff Krieser, Jim Sarge, Kurt Vogler, Mike Prime, Howard Ogawa, Jim Killfoil, Jeff Sween. **Middle Row:** Barbara Moore, Julie Weirenstein, Sherry Meyberg, Amber Robinson, Grace Lu, Jill Goldschneider, Andrea Reynolds, Suni Parker, Cathy Rook, Carol Nanamura, Andre Samos. **Back Row:** Kevin Urz, Julie Alfonso, Denny McCoy, Scott Caldwell, Lisa Smith, Bob Heldt, Steve Jones, Mike Ivaninsky, Paul Lanning, Kim Smith, Jason Dubois, Inga Davis, Lisa Talpas, Ralph Viscarra, Noelle Farrone, Linda Tan, Eric Swenson, Kim Whitworth, Kim Fang, Kerry Gallagher, Will Reames, Suzie Norton, Kathy Jones, Erin Shea, Allison Takera.

The California Scholarship Federation, C.S.F., is one of the largest organizations here at Pioneer. The club has grown tremendously since last year. Many of the members are Seniors who have maintained their membership throughout their four years at Pioneer and will graduate as life members. This club is not accessible to any student wishing to join. There is a strict criteria that must be met in order to be admitted. Entrance is not based on the Grade Point Average, but a similar point system. An A donates 3 points, a B, 2 points and a C, 1 point. With a point total of ten points or more from at least four academic classes, one may obtain membership. Eligibility is reviewed each semester. At this time, new members are also inducted. A life time membership to this prestigious club is a wonderful accomplishment! Congratulations to all C.S.F. members and good luck in the future.



Above Left: Julie Weirenstein, Heidi Knox, Julie Alfonso, and Lisa Talpas, C.S.F. members at their funniest. **Above:** Eric Swenson is a friendly federation member.

OUR ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE . . .

On February 15, 1984, Pioneer High School completed its ninth annual blood drive. Prior to this time, the Pioneer community of students, teachers, parents, alumni and friends had donated 780 units, or almost 98 gallons, of blood. These humanitarian people of Pioneer have almost filled up two 55 gallon oil drums with blood. Countless lives have probably been saved and many people have been helped with major surgical procedures.

The Pioneer High School Blood Drive has been one of the longest and most successful activities on campus. We have always beaten Leland,

our rivals to the south. In head to head competition, Pioneer leads in blood units donated by 780 units to Leland's 611 units. Once again this year, we remained undefeated and also set a new record. Pioneer's students were fantastic once again in their organization, dedication, hard work, and co-operation in making the annual blood drive a total success!

Mr. Church

Left: The nurse quickly takes Jim Grielak's blood pressure. **Right:** Heidi Knox hugs her teddy bear as she waits to give blood. **Bottom left:** The nurse carefully takes blood from the next victim.



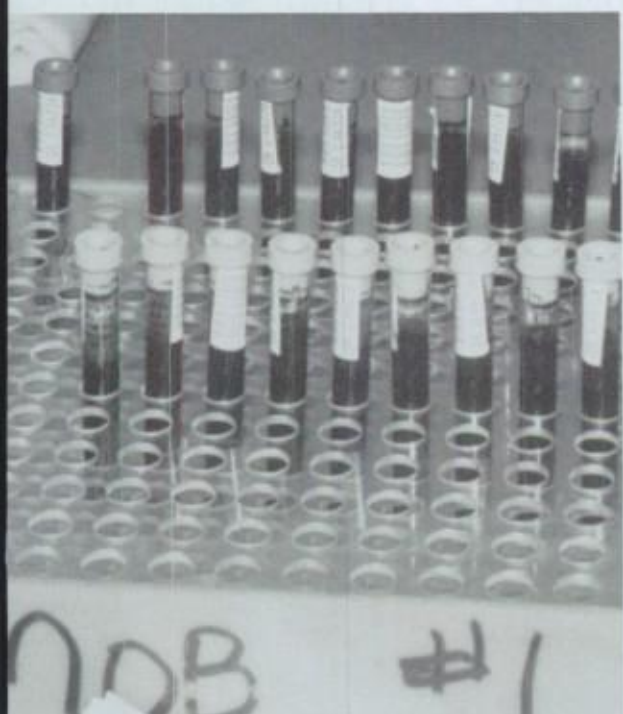
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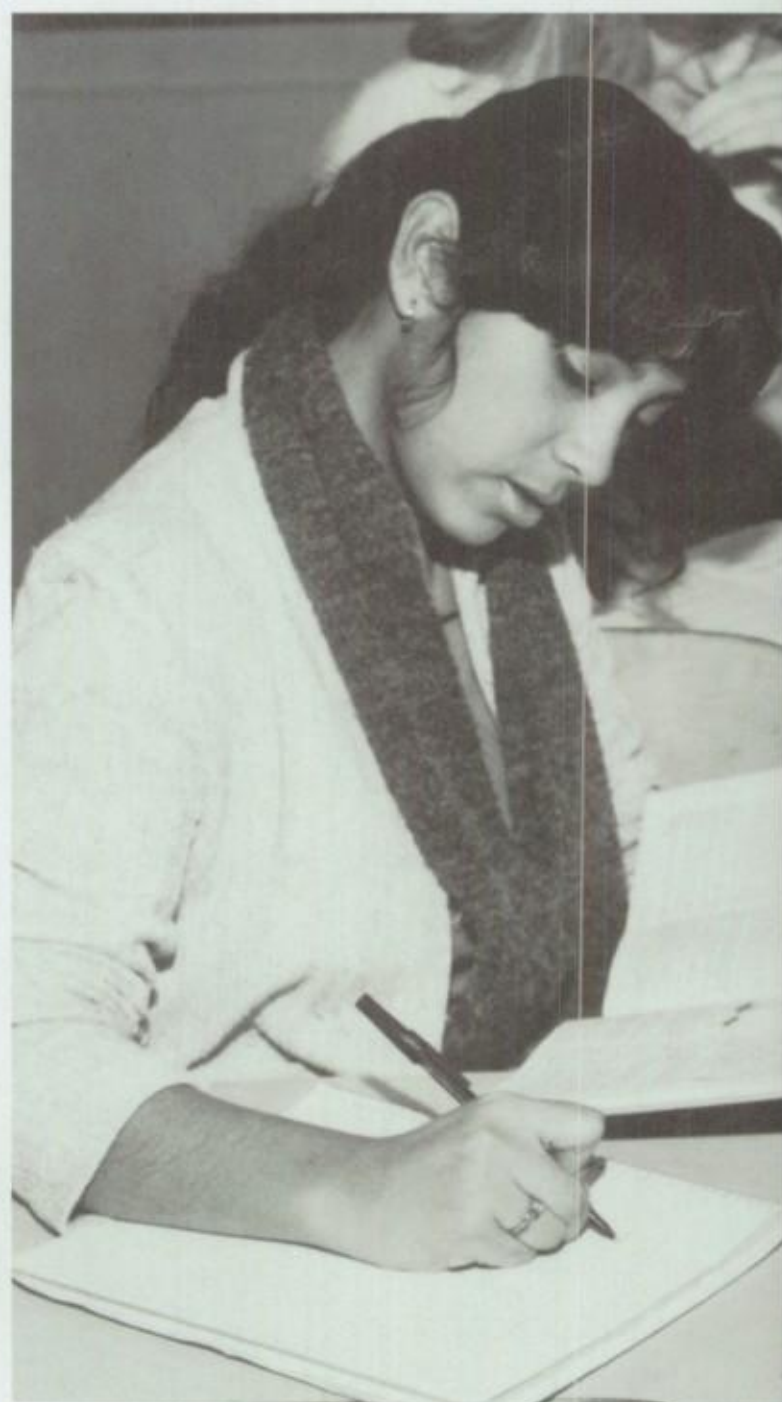
Left: American Red Cross trucks arrive on time and ready to go **Middle left:** In search of a new home
Below: Inga Davis is comforted by Sue Heimgartner while giving blood. **Bottom left:** Darby Faulkner and Dan Banuelos take a short break.



A COMPLETE SUCCESS AGAIN!

MISPRINT: INFORMING WITH EXCELLENCE

Back Row: Richelle Delaney, Julie Massa, Lisa Vasquez, Gary Porper, Barbara Faulkner, Kim Scow, Cindy Sanchez, Donna Palmer. **Front Row:** Jeff Kreiser, Carol Nanamura, Raoul Marcate, Teresa Lyddane, Kelly Sullivan, Matt Savage, Joe Birrola, Erik Wilson.



Lisa Vasquez busily at work finding the right word



Joe Birrola, Erik Wilson, Matt Savage and Ms. Shelton edit a story on the computer.



Sindy Sanchez and Julie Massa work on a story together.



Carol Nanamura and Teresa Lyddane find time for a quick laugh.

The Pioneer Misprint staff of 1983-'84 was faced with adversity throughout the year, but rose above it all to complete nine outstanding issues.

At the beginning of the year, the staff, editors, and advisor, Mrs. Shelton, had to adjust to meeting deadlines and enduring the tension arising from them. Later in the year, the class had to deal with the loss of Mrs. Shelton for several weeks. Finally, the loss of a publisher caused more problems.

The staff's major adjustment was the changeover to "computer journalism." The class took on the task of completely changing over from "the old procedure" to the new in one year. Costs were cut by two-thirds, which means next year's class will be able to produce many more issues.

This challenging year came to an end with the annual awards banquet. The Misprint staff truly informed with excellence in the face of adversity.

Jeff Kreiser
Editor-in-Chief



Erik Wilson typing his story on the computer.



Jeff Kreiser, Editor in Chief

DOIN' IT BETWEEN THE PAGES!

This yearbook was in the minds of the staff as far back as the end of last year. Many long hours were put into the production of this book. The addition of a computer in the classroom helped to shorten those long hours and speed up production. One setback this year was the absence of our Advisor, Mrs. Shelton, for one month. Unfortunately this occurred during our first deadline. It was rough, but the staff pulled through and made the deadline even with a few pages to spare.

This year had its share of ups and downs, but on the whole, everything worked out for the best. The entire staff did a great job on the yearbook — and it shows. Even though we were sometimes at each other's throats, we were also having a great time.

A special thanks to Mrs. Shelton, Associate Editor Mike Haines, and the 1984 Equus staff.

Craig McIntire
Editor



Clockwise from above: Adding the finishing touches, Jeff Saltzman completes a masterpiece, Siamese twins, Becky Sheff and Michelle Buttrigal re-live their "Flower Child" days before class, Krista Passarelli gives instructions on how to type without looking, Editor Craig McIntire and Becky Sheff revise "endless" yearbook copy.



OMIGOD!... Like No
More Deadlines!!



Clockwise: A bewildered Lisa Talpas begins the painstaking task of layouts; Disgusted with deadlines, Theresa Guardino expresses her feelings; Associate Editor Mike Haines finalizes layouts, **The Staff? Lying:** Lisa Talpas, Krista Passarelli. **Kneeling:** Down Godberry, Jeff Saltzman, Laurie Mollo, Brian Peterson. **Standing:** Craig McIntire, Linda Cotton, Becky Sheff, Michelle Burrignol, Ken Smith, Theresa Guardino, Laura Blanchette, Trent Ganino, Mike Haines.

KEY CLUB

Pioneer's Key Club is one of the oldest and finest groups at Pioneer High School. The Key Club has been in existence here for the past twenty-four years and is of great service to both the school and the community.

Key Club officers take on many responsibilities and help plan activities for the club. This year members acted as elves during Christmas vacation at a children's park in San Jose. Together with the Keyettes, Key Club members also helped keep the school clean.

The 1983-'84 Key Club consisted of an outstanding group of guys. They put in much work, and their efforts were greatly appreciated.



Jerry Hufferd, Senior Class Representative; Mike Kerman, Vice President; Darioush Naraghi, Secretary; Allan Hogue, President; Paul Hembrooke, Treasurer.



Top Row: Tom Kearney, Dave Williams, Denny McCoy, Pat McKinley, Paul Hembrooke, Mike Kerman, Mike Vanderlei, Jeff Grisell, Allan Hogue, Mike Tschanzshohn, Paul Malkon, Bill Orsborn. **Middle Row:** Eric Svensson, Rick Shigemoto, Mike Gallager, Farhad Malek, Rich Vanderlei, Rob Martinez, Eric Chunn, Scott Power. **Bottom Row:** Howard Ogawa, Henry Sanchez, Jerry Hufferd, Darioush Naraghi, Mike Munoz, Bob Neuroth.

KEYETTE CLUB



Top Row: Kerry Walkling, Kim Wilson, Jennifer Remen, Lupe Reynoso, Tracy Fant, Julie Alfonso, Katia Zarnegar, Nancy VanWoerkam, Missy Whiting, Kim Venezia, Lisa Garland, Noelle Ferrone, Kristeen Fang, Kim Whirworth, Cathy Rook, Wendy Panches, Sharon Joyner, Jill Goldschneider, Julie Weitenstein. **Bottom Row:** Lisa Smith, Barbara Moore, Debbie Pretto, Shelly Whiting, Amy Bauer, Stacey Dorf, Paige Pankratz, Kristy Sieverson, Colleen Tennant, Anna SanFilippo, Gina Barone, Clarissa Lee, Lisa Talpas.



The Keyette Club is a unique club which serves both the school and the community. During the course of the year we participated in "school beautification" by painting the goal posts.

Keyettes also helped with the Special Olympics and the Walk-A-Thon. By helping with these and many other fundraising projects for Pioneer, we helped earn money to improve society as well as our school.

This year the Keyette Club consisted of a very special group of dedicated and hard working girls. We hope this club, which helps students develop school and community pride, will continue to be successful.

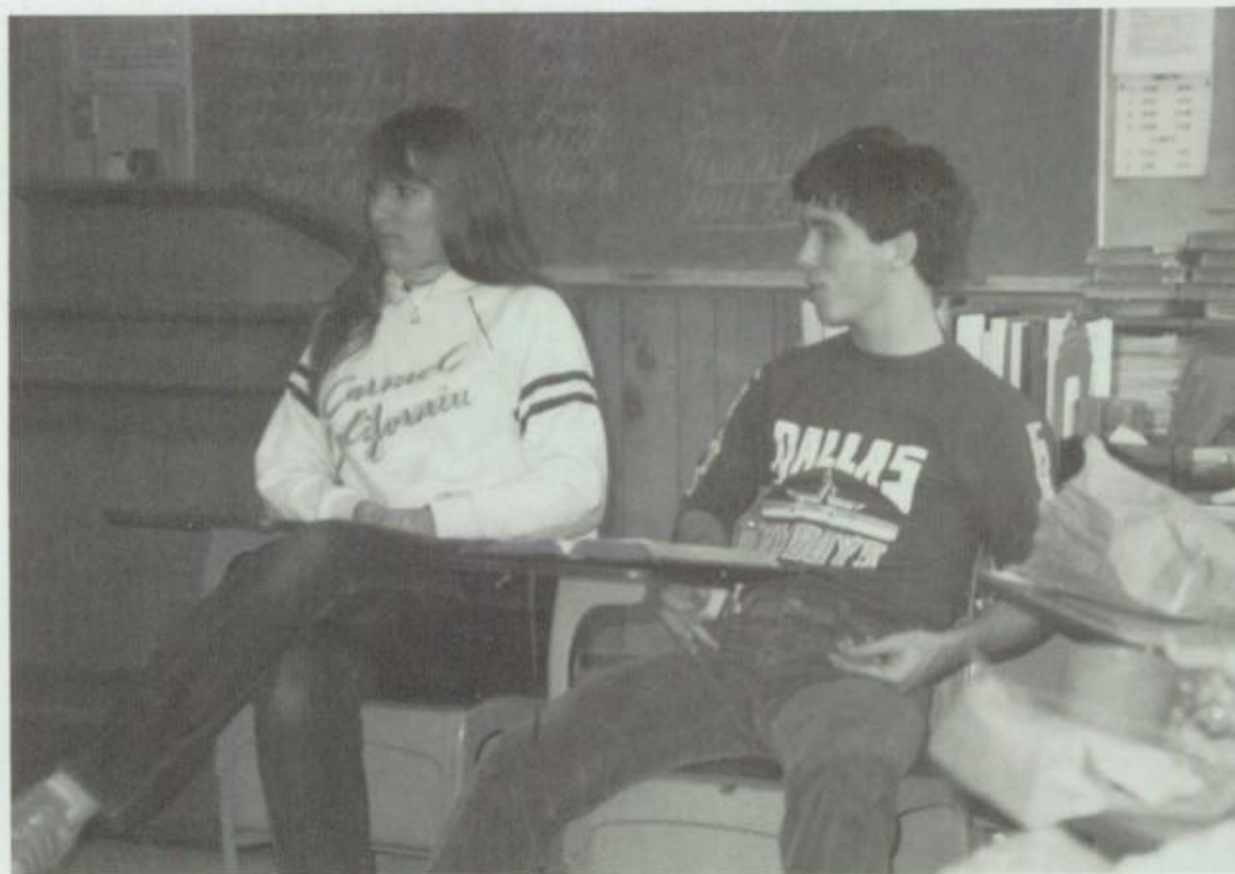
Paige Pankratz
President

Trisha Bauer, Treasurer; Julie Weitenstein, Vice President; Kristy Sieverson, Secretary; Paige Pankratz, President.

CHRISTIAN CLUB

The Christian Club is not a club in the usual sense of that term. Rather it is a place where young people, Christians and non-Christians alike, may during lunchtime come together for a time of fellowship, sharing and caring.

The club meets in Room 356 on Wednesdays. Students bring their lunches. We have no formal structure. There is no president or officers. We talk about things we would like to achieve community projects, etc. Come one, come all!



Top left: **First row:** Bob Gunter, Annette Ferry and Mike Bertrand. **Second row:** Caroline Swartz, Tina Rochette, Michelle Heinrichs, and Amber Robinson. **Above:** Diana Cook and Kenny Rochette sharing their experiences and views in group discussions. **Right:** Mrs. Stacey and Ms. Tefank listen closely to group discussion.

YOUNG LIFE



Left: Alan Smyth "porks out" on his Fro Yo feast. **Below:** Heidi Knox gets her nose into sticky business. **Bottom Left:** Leaders Alan, Todd, Sharon, and Karen down around with the gang.



Young Life is a casual, informal club that meets one night a week at someone's house. Anyone — and everyone — is welcome, and there are no dues to join. A normal club meeting consists of lots of fun, crazy songs, and usually an embarrassing skit. A short club talk, which relays the basics of the Christian faith and its relevance for us today, is also a major part of the meetings. In addition to these regular club meetings, there are ski trips, volleyball marathons, "Fro-Yo" and lots of fun!

During the summer each year, Young Life also offers participants a week long trip to "Woodleaf", a Young Life camp. This is where they cram three weeks worth of craziness into one week. Woodleaf is guaranteed to be the best week of your life! — Or your money back.

See you next year,
Alan, Todd, Sharon, and Karen

LEO CLUB



The Leo Club is an extension of the Lions Club International. The main idea behind the Leo Club is to help the community and the school by having students donate their time to various events.

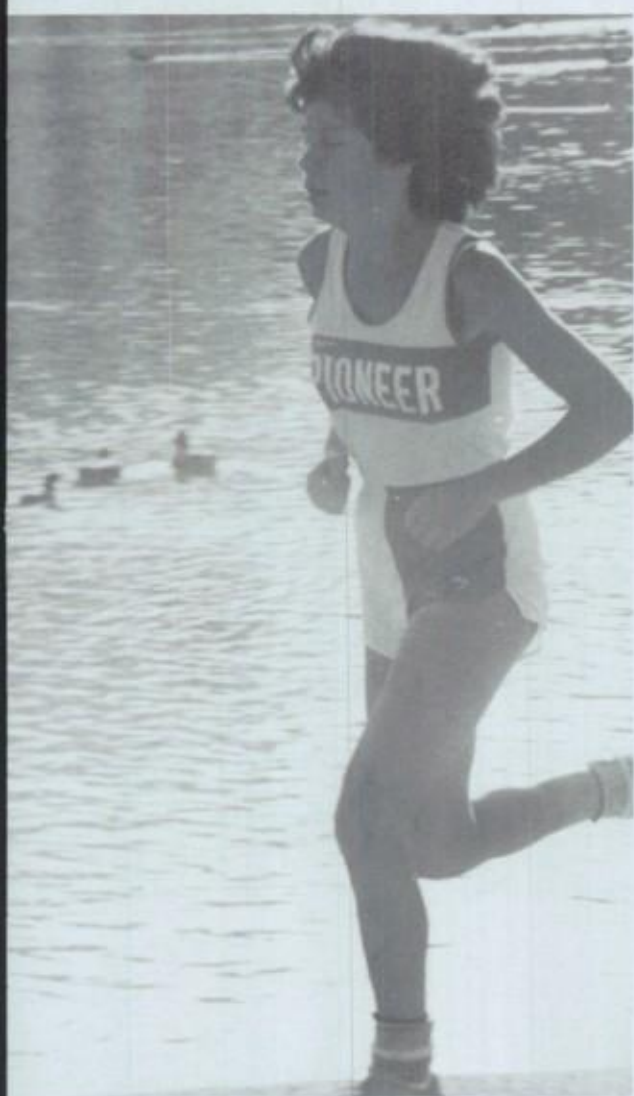
This year's fund raisers consisted of a silk-screen t-shirt sale (in conjunction with the Blossom Valley Lions Club, our sponsoring club) in January and a candy sale in April. Since the Leo club is also a "social" club, we also had some social events. This year we had a bowling match against another club and had a variety of enjoyable times at our lunch time meetings.

Sincerely,
Bob Heldt
Leo Club President

Top right: The Leo Club Members. **Back row:** Scott Tomiska (left), Kevin Urz, Mike Haines, Mike Tewart, Aldo Maragon, John Taber. **Front Row:** Lynn Heldt, Bob Heldt, Monica Brawley. **Left:** President of Leo Club, Bob Heldt



STUDENTS SHOW ALL



Top left: A small glimpse of lunch at Pioneer. **Top right:** Patricia Delagarza intensely looks on. **Middle left:** Andrea Reynolds makes strides for Pioneer. **Above:** Pat Goo tries to figure out how many days until summer vacation. **Far left:** Dan Woolley and Sonny Parker converse in the cafeteria. **Left:** Because of the cold temperatures at the Homecoming Dance, students huddle together to try to save what's left of their virtually frostbitten bodies.

STRIKE UP THE BAND



Back row: Howard Busick, Troy Smithson, Jim Watson, Greg Reiss, Frank Pendleton, Jeff Trueblood, Steve Hertzler, Brian Naylor, Dan Naylor. **Front row:** Gem Moore, Jorge Sanchez.



Mr. Dan Naylor



Above: David Straughn . . . Joe Cool. **Far left:** Troy Smithson plays the trumpet. **Left:** s Steve Hertzler on the sax. **Below:** Gem Moore, Jim Watson, Greg Reiss, Kevin Thurber, and Jeff Trueblood hamming it up.

The Pioneer band meets in the band room early before school and after school as well. They practice and perform under the direction of Mr. Naylor. One can hear them playing at all home football and basketball games where their music and support help the spirit of Pioneer Mustangs fans.





PIONEER'S TELEPHONE POLL

A poll all about telephones, was taken at Pioneer. Students were asked certain questions and here are the results:

30% of all Pioneer students have their own telephone and 20% their own phone number.

The longest phone call recorded is 16 hours and the average call is 20 minutes. The average student is on the phone for about 30 minutes before one of their parents kicks them off.

30% of our students lose the use of the telephone when they are grounded.

Pioneer students are on the phone an average of 2 hours a day, and more of that time is spent talking to best friends than boy/girl friends.

And last but not least, at least 50% of Pioneer students' phone conversations is dedicated to gossip.



FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



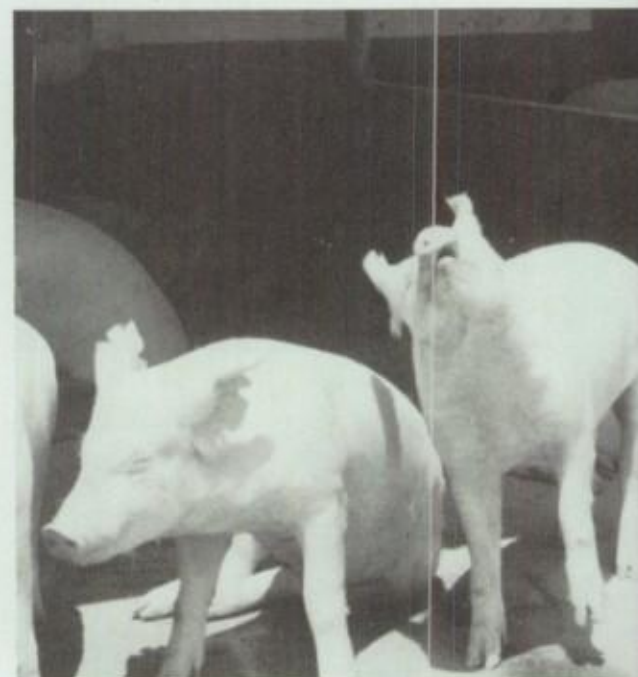
Mr. Bruga



Front Row: Bill Little, Cheryl Snow, Cliff Hobbitts, Debbie Gardner, Shelly Scoggins, Debbi Gargan, Mike Tiscornia, Debbie Fowler, Robin Strickney, Mark Hernandez, P. J. Ciraulo. Middle Row: Kevin Phillips, Mark Cerneka, Stacey Moreci, Janer Davis, Barbara Guillen, Will Reames, Chris Lofgren, Laura Kocina, Ed Reames, Lee Ann Mickelson, Tiffany Hunt, Anthony Vargas, Michelle Sanda, Kim Klien, Sean French, Dan Olsen, Mike Nirasaki, Scott Landgraf. Back Row: Larry Bruga, Kris Mitchell, Frank Raymond, Rob Staples, Paul Aldrette, Jim Sellarole, Nikki Adamson, Velvet Harley, Tina Mickelson, Wendy Pomeroy, Stacey Borrego, John Avila, Steve Siamandouras.

The Future Farmers Association and the Agriculture Department are two of the largest organizations in Pioneer. With 50+ members and outstanding achievements, these departments have attracted steadily increasing interest.

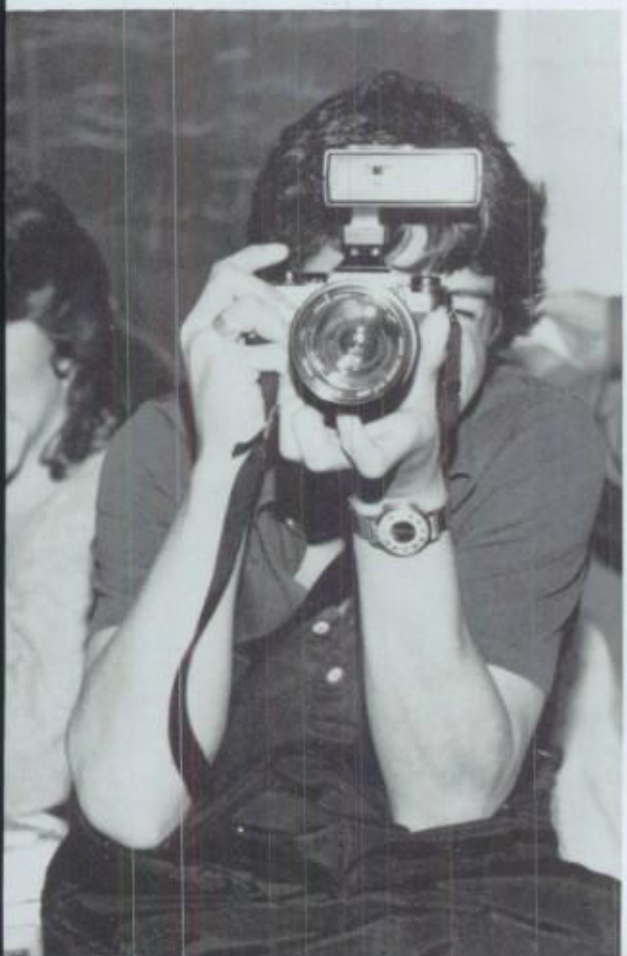
Pioneer's F.F.A. is one of the finest in the state. During the course of the year, our soils team captured first place in the county and placed third overall in the state. We also placed first in the co-op contest and received four prestigious gold medals in project competition.



A FEW CANDID MOMENTS . . .



Top left: Why was that cameraman here anyway? To those who saw him, that was the main question. So what's the answer? **Top right:** Rah Ra's, Patricia De la Garza, Michelle Sellarole and Kerry Waking take a well deserved break from cheering. The whole spirit squad deserves a thank you from all for making the year a spirited one. **Middle:** It was no longer a "Night in the Caribbean" but more a monsoon at Pioneer. Pictured is the remains of the winning Senior Class float. **Bottom left:** clowning around with the photographer, Raul Morcate **Misprint** photographer gets candid. **Bottom right:** Car pooling hits an all time high at Pioneer. Cars and trucks were converted into "School buses" with anywhere from 2 to 10 people in each.



COMPUTERS . . . CONQUER PIONEER

The growing knowledge and use of computers in the modern business world has made it necessary for Pioneer to also grow. The 1983-84 school year brought many new editions to Pioneer's electronic instructional devices. Many new computers, including IBM and Apple brands, as well as a robot were in great demand this year. These computers were not only used by the six computer programming classes, but the Business and English classes were able to make use of the new fangle equipment.

Pioneer was fortunate enough to have parents and large businesses of the community to contribute to the purchasing of computers. The San Jose Unified School District funded eleven Apple computers to be put in good use here at Pioneer. Fifteen other computers were also purchased. However these were not purchased by the district. An IBM grant was issued to the school to enable the students to continue an extensive study and use of computer technology.

By the end of the 1984 school year, four teachers were primarily using the new computers to teach actual programming classes. Mr. Jensen, Mr. Dawes, Mrs. Rausch, and Mr. Apra each taught classes in Beginning Computer Programming. According to Mr. Apra, the more advanced students also signed up for the beginning courses, but were allowed to work at their own pace. Areas of various programming languages were studied. Operation and programming skills learned were used throughout the year to solve problems.

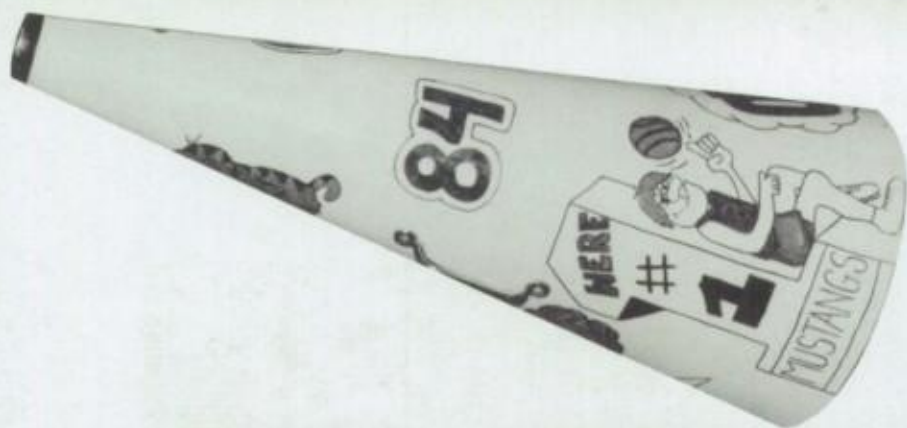
Computer students enrolled in any of the courses were also allowed to use "Hero", the robot. Hero was added to Pioneer's instructional staff this year. He was donated by two very generous members of The Pioneer Parents Club. Mr. and Mrs. Loeffler assembled this young aide. The robot mainly teaches the basics of robotics. The instruction given to the students, on the robot, are not strict, but if there is time in the hectic schedule of both the teacher and the student, then the classes are encouraged to program and use Hero.

Pioneer's Computer department is definitely growing! Teachers, Administration and students alike are all looking toward the future and further expansion in this area. It is a bright possibility the Pioneer will become a Computer Magnet in the future. The prospect of such an honor seemed to bring a new sense of Pioneer Pride to everyone involved with the computer program.

Above right: Jerry Hufferd and Mike Powser experiment with "Hero". **Right:** Intense concentration. **Opposite page: Top:** Tricia Tallman works at a new program. **Left center:** Alan Mercado and Paul Hem-broke discuss the new addition. **Bottom left:** Mr. Apra's computer-time story. **Bottom right:** Mrs. Rausch is intentive on instruction.







MAKE IT GREAT! 1983-84 SPIRIT



Sixty girls made up this year's spirit squad here at Pioneer during the 1983-'84 school year. All sixty girls spent much time, in and out of school, preparing for the various activities. The spirit squad performed and cheered at football and basketball games and school rallies. They also competed at state and local competitions throughout the year. The Pioneer Spirit Squad supported all the sports at Pioneer as much as possible, and promoted enthusiasm also.

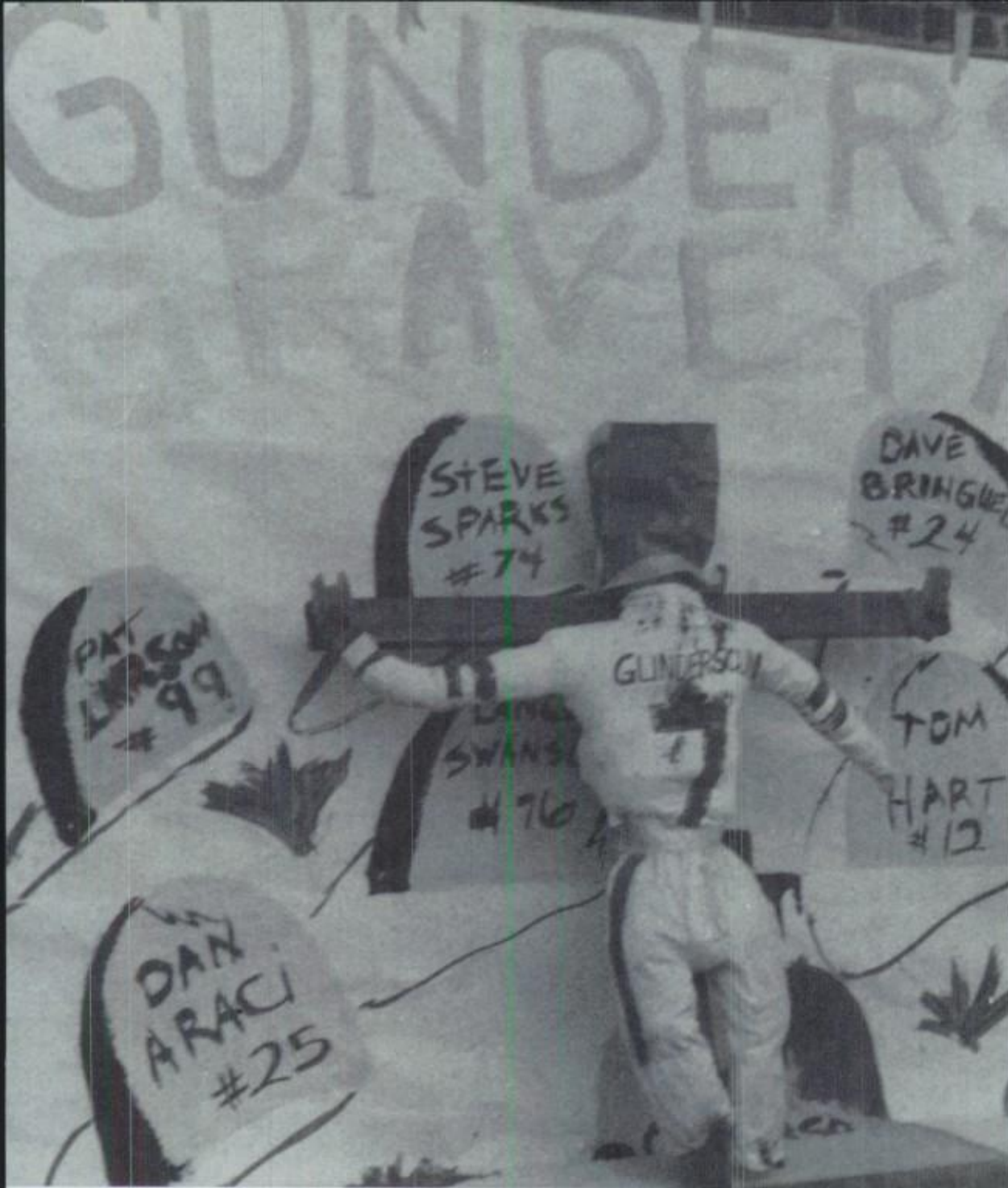
Whether you participate in school sports, attend games, take part in the Mustang band, or are on the spirit squad, your involvement definitely contributes to Pioneer's school spirit.

Mrs. Jackie Duchser, spirit advisor at Pioneer, is very dedicated to the promotion of school spirit. She spends countless hours working with the groups, and her work shows when the girls perform. Without her, spirit at Pioneer would not be the same.

Thank you, Mrs. Duchser, the entire spirit squad and the school for a great year! **MAKE IT GREAT!**



Top: DANCE TEAM, **Bottom Row:** Julia Ballantyne, Kim Vaccarello, Robyn Jenkins, Suzanne Crosby, Dawn Marsumaro, Linda Carron, Christine Engh, Kim Sealy, Michelle Bunnigal. **Middle Row:** Tracy Sanada, Alyssa Hofer, Gina Smith, Samantha Harrog, Amy Erlich, Megan Geiss. **Top Row:** Michelle Daniele, Robin Strickney, Suzie Miller, Cathy Luksus, Rose Laiacana, Dawn Gadberry, Laura Kocina. **Above:** Lisa Salinas and Missy Whiting combine forces!



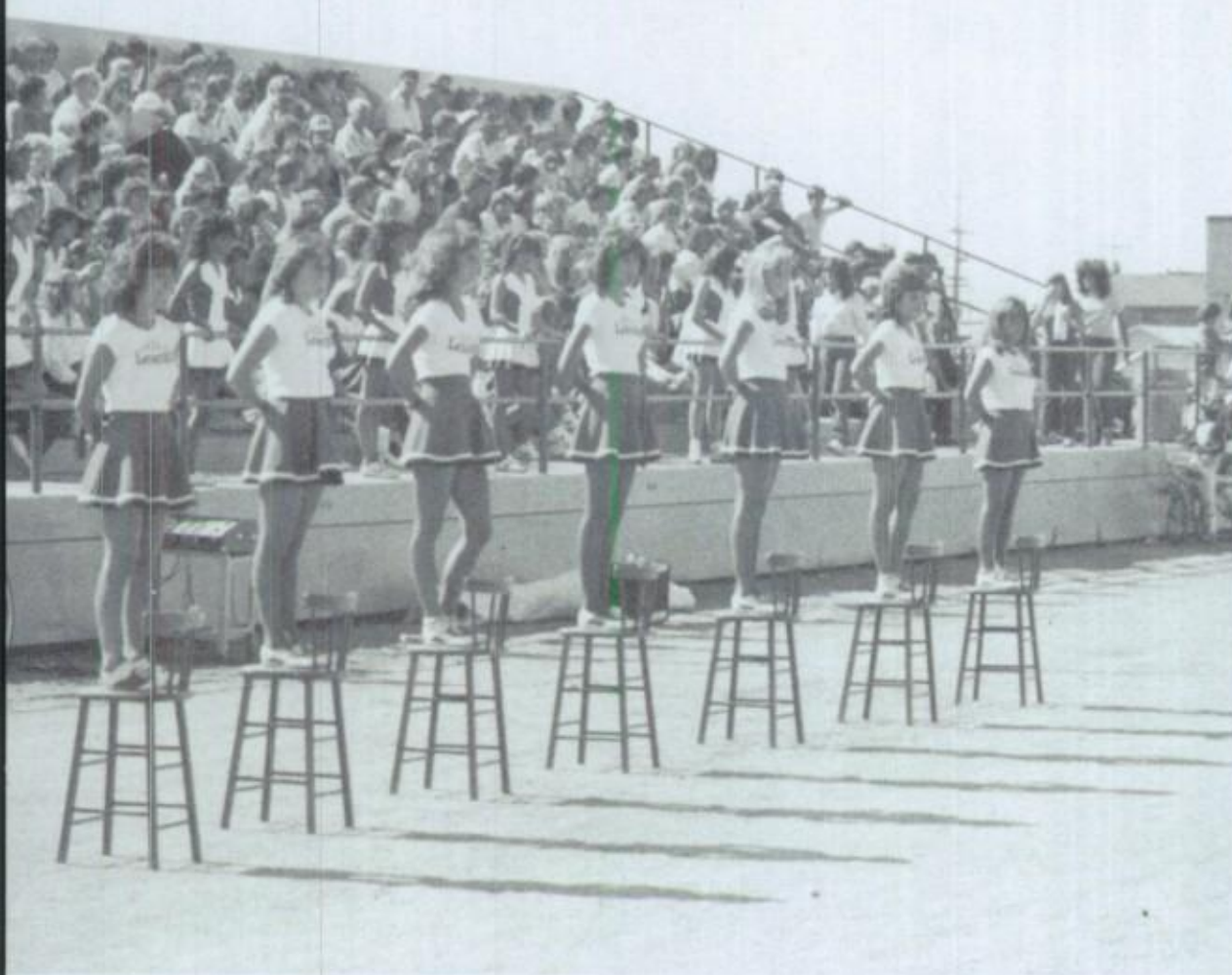
Top Left: Homecoming Spirit! **Left:** SONGGIRLS, **Bottom Row:** Kristy Sieverson, Melanie Martin, Kristi Harris, Kristen Olsen, **Top Row:** Clarissa Lee, Shelly Whiting, Patricia DeLaGarza, Judy Stark. **Above:** Smile!

RAH! RAH!



Top: Large Dance Team gives their unforgettable "Situation" look. **Above:** Small Dance Team: Rose Loiacano, Dawn Gadberry, Kim Sealy, Megan Geiss, Suzanne Crosby, Christine Engh, Michelle Burrignol. **Right:** Varsity and Frosh-Soph Cheerleaders unite to cheer our boys on to a Homecoming victory!!!





Left: Lettergirls watch our team play for another win! **Below:** Spirit Commissioner, Anna SanFilippo. **Bottom Left:** Frosh-Soph Cheerleaders. **Top Row:** Sracia Utz, DeDe Wheeler, Michelle Garnier, Katie Killfoil, Melissa Martin, Tanya Underwood, Lynn Barone, Gina Lopez, Laurie Linron, Nicole Biederman, Jennifer Wilson, Carmella Birtola. **Bottom Row:** Tracy Bliss, Mandy Cool.



"Being spirit commissioner this past year was a great experience for me. I am the kind of person who likes keeping things in order. I had a great time organizing the entertainment for the Homecoming parade and halftime performance. Everyone appreciated the great floats in the parade as well as the balloons which were released at the conclusion of the halftime performance. Another of my duties that I particularly enjoyed was helping plan, and announcing for, the rallies. Most of all, I enjoyed taking pictures of everyone here at Pioneer for the end of the year rally.

The memories of my senior year will last forever. Thanks to all the squads for being so special and treating me so well. I've enjoyed helping the Spirit Squad and especially Mrs. Buchser, whenever she needed me.

Best of luck to all new and returning spirit members next year. Keep up all the spirit you have, and thanks for a great year!"

Anna SanFilippo
Spirit Commissioner





Above: Shelly Whiting in the spotlight! **Above Right:** The entire Spirit Squad walks off the field after the breaking of the crash poster. **Right:** Nicole Adamson and her horse were a great addition to Homecoming Spirit. **Below:** Varsity Letter Girls. L to R; Missy Whiting, Lisa Salinas, Wendy Osborne, Kim Wilson, Jennifer Remen, Lisa Shee, Julie Massa.





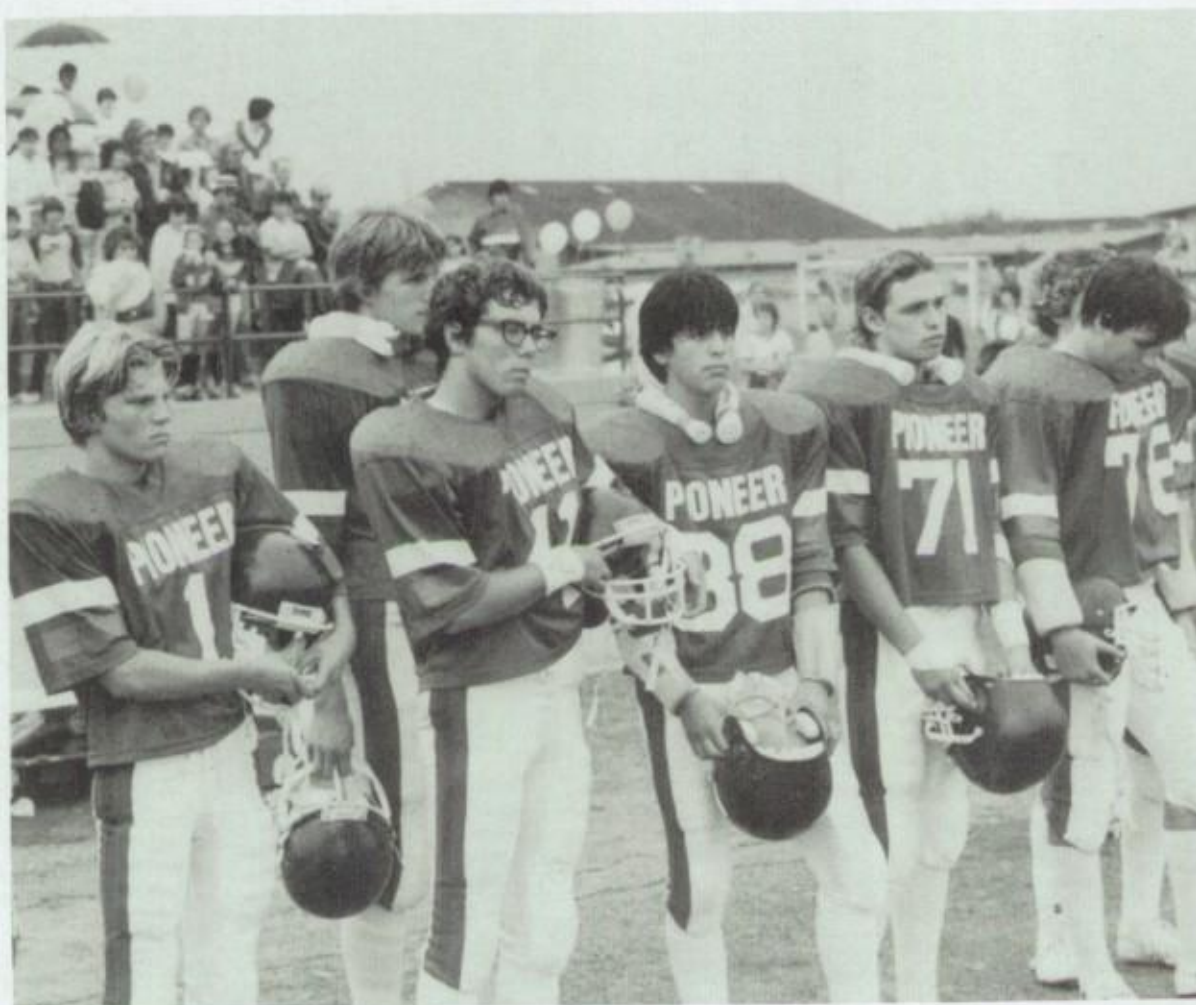
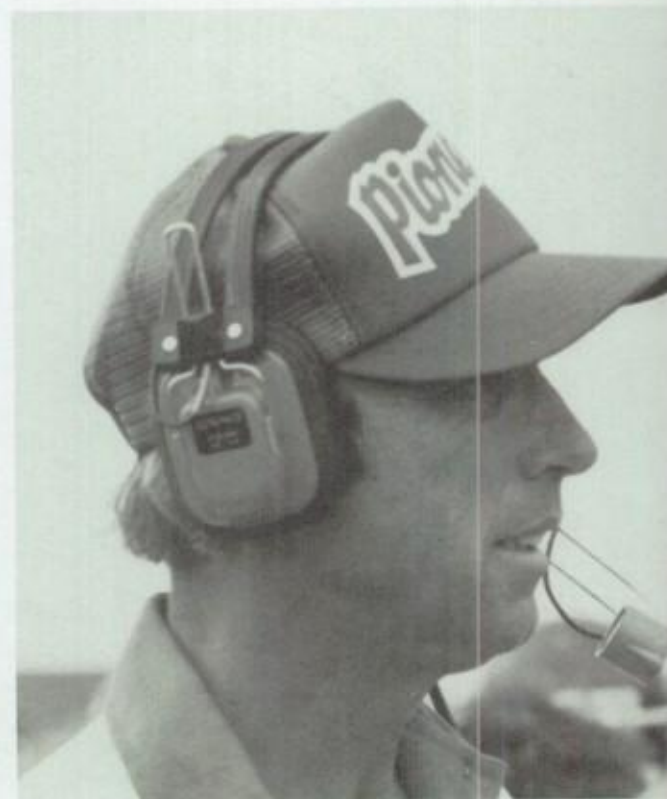
Top Left: Varsity Cheerleaders spot something out of the ordinary! **Back Row:** Kristin Masters, Diana Ballantyne, Michelle Sellarole, Laurie King, Meg Carlozzi. **Front Row:** Debbie Pretto, Kerry Walking, Andrea Coules. **Above:** Julie Massa always caught with a smile. **Below left:** Cheerleaders stack 'em up high. **Below right:** Rain doesn't stop the Mustang Faithfuls!!!



PIONEER PRIDE was well demonstrated during the Homecoming Game October 29, 1983. The game was kicked off by Regina Anderson singing a soul rendition of the National Anthem. When Pioneer High met San Jose High on the field for the kick-off, there was an eminent feeling of Pioneer unity. This feeling of unity became increasingly contagious as the game progressed. The rain wasn't enough to keep the spectators from cheering for their team; they just covered their heads and kept right on rooting. The

spectators included students, teachers, parents and of course, alumni.

Frosh-Soph won their game with ease. With a final score of 24-0, this great achievement earned them a well deserved tie for first place in the S.T.A.L. Not only did Frosh-Soph win their game, but Varsity won as well. Both these Pioneer teams dominated the Bulldogs throughout their entire game. With a Varsity final score of 27-0, it is easy to deduce that the crowd was ecstatic.



Top: Coach Hannon is engrossed in the game. **Above:** Team members get mean as they watch the Bulldogs move. **Right:** Pioneer scores a touchdown!





Top Left: Our mascot gets into the spirit of the game. **Top Right:** Dan Mustaca makes a fabulous catch. **Middle Left:** Mustangs hold back the Bulldogs to let Dan Mustaca get through the line. **Middle Right:** Regina Anderson sings the National Anthem with some soul. **Bottom:** Spectators are prepared for everything at this game.

Below: G.S.B. officers Diana Snyder, Jeff Kreiser, Inga Davis, and Lisa Talpas take pride in their parade success. **Right:** Dawn Gadberry amazes the spectators during halftime of the Frosh-Soph game. **Bottom:** Castillero spirit squad supports their future school. **Bottom Right:** Cold weather did not stop spectators from watching an entertaining parade.



HOMECOMING EXCITEMENT!



Halftime activities began with some super entertainment by the Spirit Squad. The crowd went wild as they shook their rushes down the 50 yard line. Each squad had really entertaining routines.

The G.S.B. organized Homecoming Parade was one of the best seen in years. Leading the procession were several Ford "Mustangs" carrying G.S.B. officers, Homecoming Court nominees, and parents club officials. Following closely were the spirit squads of our supporting junior highs John Muir and Castillero. On their old fashioned fire engines our rowdy spirit squad applauded. That sure got some looks. Next came the elaborate floats all of which pertained to the Homecoming theme, "A Night in the Caribbean." The senior class float stole the best float competition with their rendition of a Caribbean Island and our very own Ken Smith playing the ukelale; they won a prize of \$50. All the class floats were brilliant efforts; even the Booster Club's "Pirates of the Caribbean" float deserved an applause. The finale was the setting off of red, white, and blue balloons by the spirit squad. This event was a perfect way to cap off the procession.



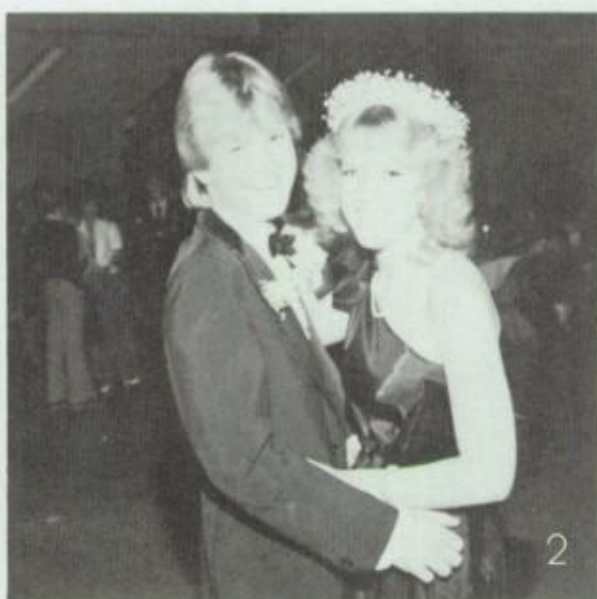
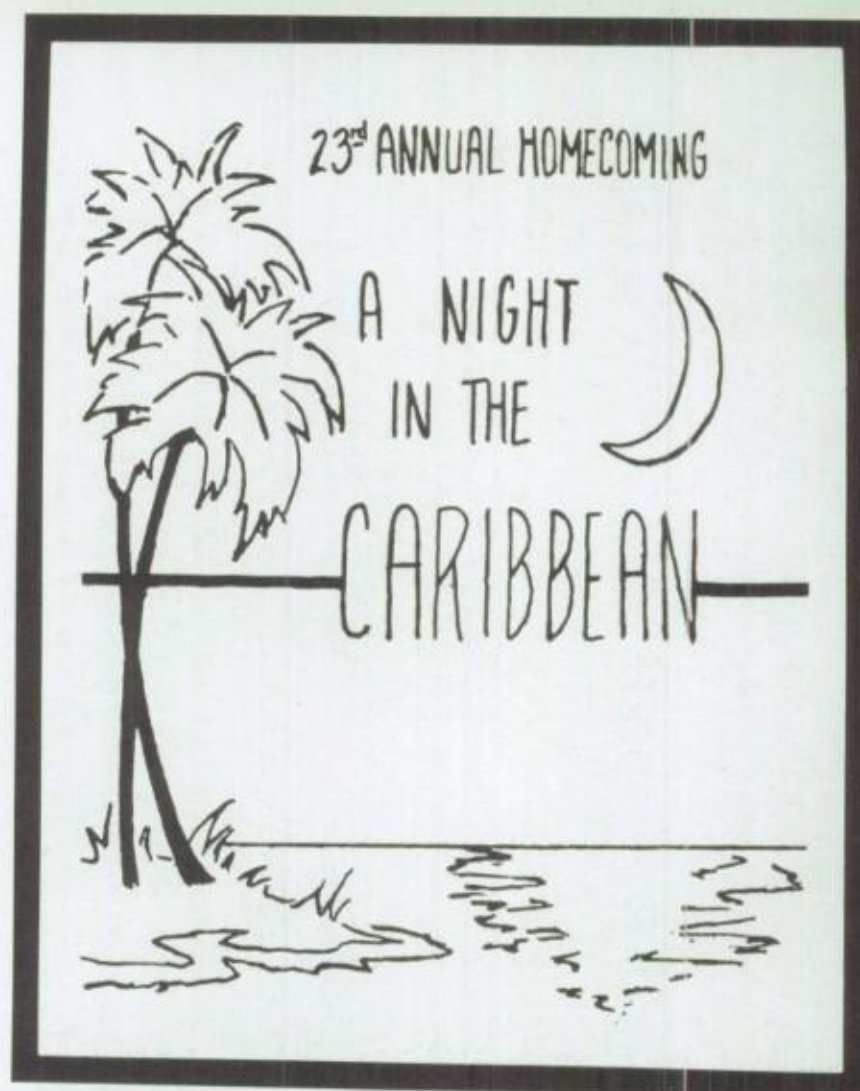
Top: Junior class float depicts PIONEER PRIDE. **Middle Left:** Homecoming king nominees Craig McIntire, Jim Sarge, and Rich Chase seem almost embarrassed as they pass the crowd. **Middle Right:** The spirit leaders enthusiastically cheer as they pass the bleachers. **Bottom:** Song girls Shelly Whiting, Clarissa Lee, and Kristen Olson get rowdy!!

OUR HOMECOMING DANCE . . .

Our 1984 Homecoming dance, which was organized by the GSB, was an evening to be remembered. The cafeteria was transformed into a Caribbean atmosphere with palm trees, fish nets, stars and travel posters to depict the theme, "A Night in the Caribbean." Tables were romantically dressed with a single lighted candle surrounded by a floral arrangement.

After a long suspensful wait, the court was announced to the music of "All Night Long." Crowns made of baby's breath and lavender flowers were placed on the Queen and her Princesses while the King and Princes received medals with an inscription. Their reign was made official with the traditional court dance.

All who attended this special dance, thoroughly enjoyed themselves and felt the event was a great success. Special thanks to the GSB for making the Homecoming dance possible.



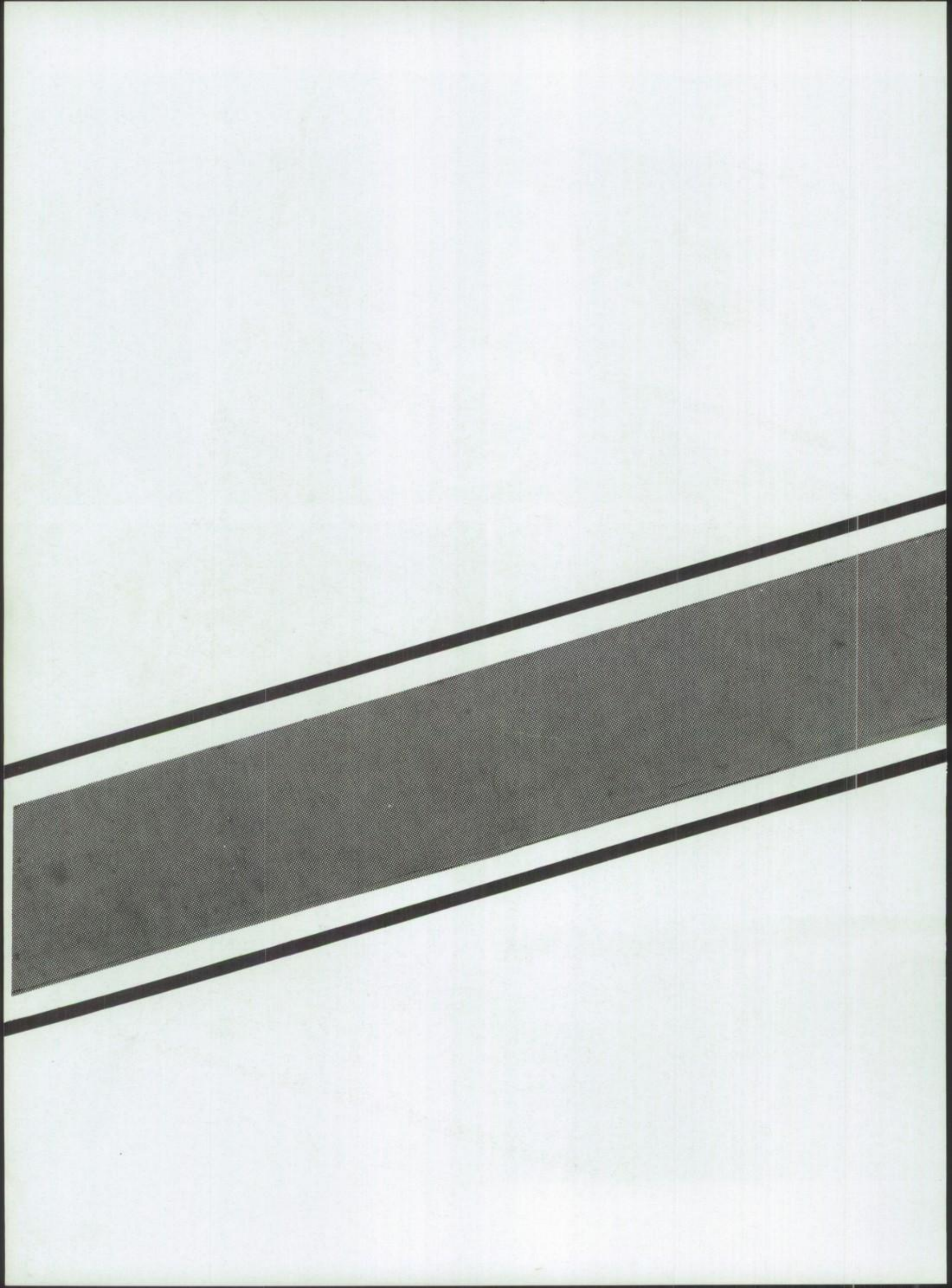
1983 Court: 1. Senior Princess Kristin Masters and Prince Rich Chase; 2. Junior Princess Laurie King and Prince Larry Loeffler; 3. Sophomore Princess Becky Sheff and Prince John Ruffner; 4. Freshman Princess Lynn Barone and Prince Andy Kreiser. **Bottom Right:** Our 1983 court.





ANOTHER SUCCESS

Top Left: Everyone cuddles up to a slow romantic song. **Top Right:** Heidi Knox helps DJ select the perfect songs. **Bottom Left:** Homecoming Queen Meg Carlozzi and King Jim Sarge. **Bottom Right:** Sharing good times while relaxing.



Sports



IN MEMORY OF

WHATEVER IS - IS BEST

I know, as my life grows older,
And mine eyes have clearer sight,
That under each rank wrong somewhere
There lies the root of Right;

That each sorrow has its purpose,
By the sorrowing oft unguessed;
But as sure as the sun brings morning,
Whatever is-is best.

I know that each sinful action,
As sure as the night brings shade,
Is somewhere, something punished,
Tho' the hour be long delayed.
I know that the soul is aided
Sometimes by the heart's unrest,
And to grow means often to suffer-
But whatever is-is best.

I know there are no errors,
In the great eternal plan,
And all things work together
For the final good of man.
And I know when my soul speeds onward,
In its grand Eternal quest,
I shall say as I look back earthward,
Whatever is-is best.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Roger Murray was very active during his high school years here at Pioneer. Before graduating in 1980, he was not involved not only with school government but also with school sports. He played on the sophomore basketball, "C" basketball, J.V. tennis and J.V. baseball teams. He was also the basketball announcer, Key Club treasurer and his Senior Class Vice President.

Roger became an accomplished pilot at a very young age and was often known to escape to the sky whenever things were troubling him. He also pledged the Sigma Chi Fraternity at San Jose State University.

The following Sports Section of the 1984 Equus is dedicated to the memory of two former Pioneer graduates, Roger Murray and John Duffy.

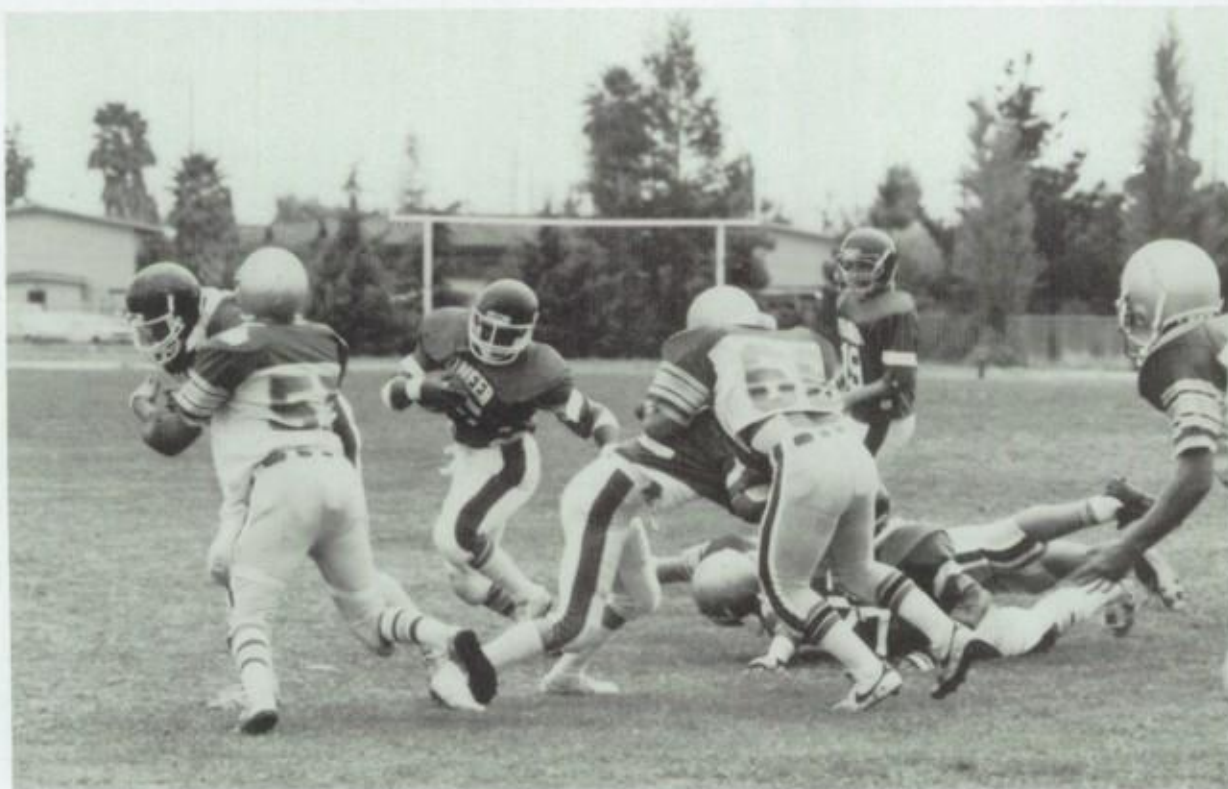
John Duffy, known as "Skippy" to his friends, was another alumnus of Pioneer, only this time the graduation year was 1982. While attending Pioneer, John was on the Varsity football and track teams, pole vaulted for four years, and was a Key Club officer.

John helped Pioneer even more last year when he came back to coach the 1982-'83 track team. He was a gifted artist and pledged the Sigma Chi Fraternity at San Jose State University.



MUSTANG ATHLETES IN ACTION!

Top Right: Jim Sarge takes the lead. **Below:** Donovan Lazar goes for the gusto! **Bottom Left:** Ed Graham on the run. **Bottom Right:** Warming up for the big game.



GIRL SWIMMERS . . . TOTALLY TUBULAR!



Back Row: Berry Pinckney, Brenda Montgomery, Lauri Hill. **Front Row:** Molly Wilmes, Sheri Greenfield, Stephanie Knight.



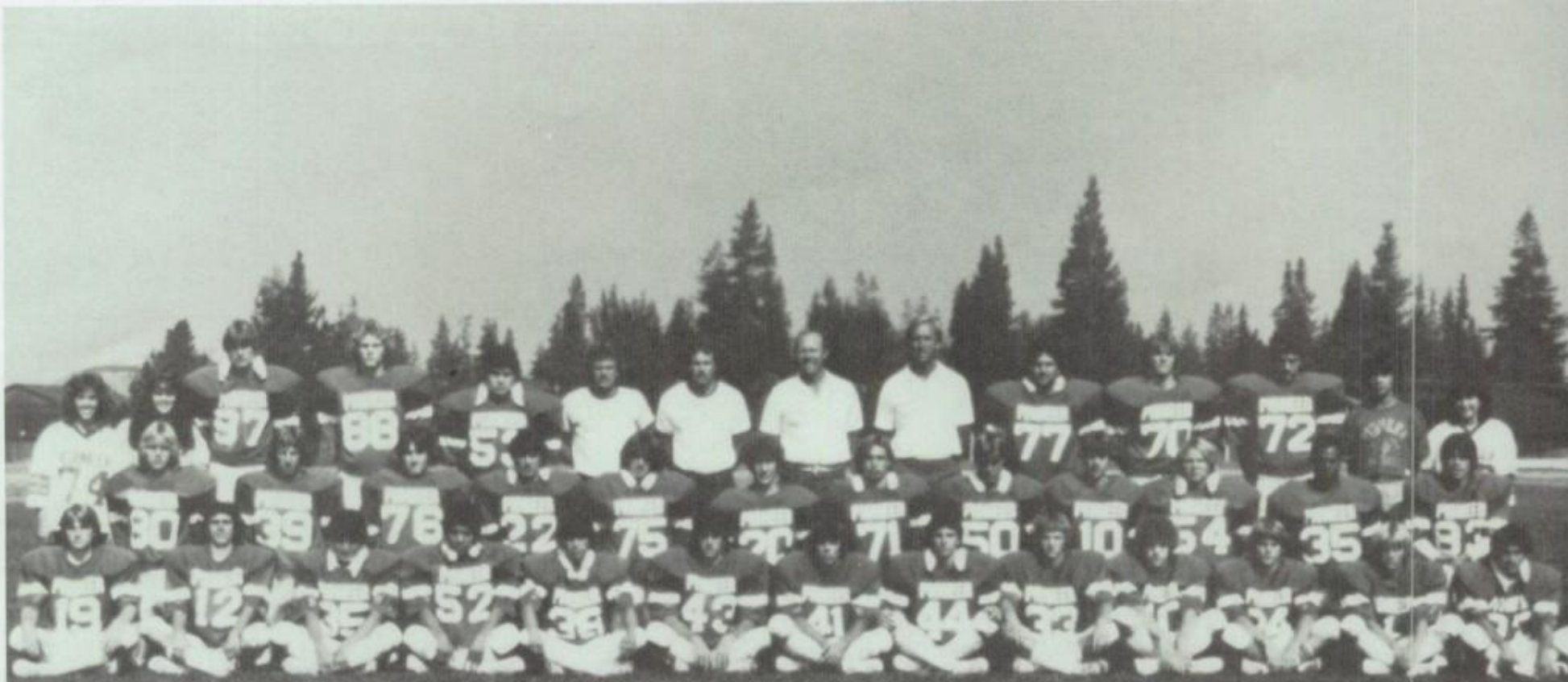
Not only did Pioneer add a swim team to its athletic program this year, but we also added a fantastic diver to the swim team. Although she was a foreigner to Pioneer, judging by her performance she was definitely not foreign to the graceful sport of diving.

Maria Wiklund, one of Pioneer's exchange students, dove for Pioneer's swim team this year. An outstanding diver, Maria demonstrated superior skill while representing Pioneer in the C.C.S. championships.

Maria's skill in this exciting sport also inspired new interest from other Pioneer students. Through her efforts, many Mustangs discovered a liking for the sport of diving, and much attention was directed towards Maria as well as other foreign exchange students.

This was an outstanding accomplishment for both Maria and Pioneer!

VARSITY FOOTBALL . . .



Top Row: Suzie Oliver, Michelle Fitzsimmons, Jim Reeves, Jim Lykins, Joe Grando, Asst. Coach Steve Guthorsmen, Asst. Coach Keith Pierce, Coach Nelson, Coach Hannon, Jim Grzelak, Jon Hogue, Allan Hogue, Dave Modderman, Theresa Guardino. **Middle Row:** Steve Price, Chris Brown, Scott Manley, Eric Chun, Bill

Gunter, Jim Rumsey, Chuck Peevyhouse, Jerry Hufferd, Chris Lussier, Matt Heinkle, Ed Graham, Jesse Aljeandre. **Bottom Row:** Shawn Dwyer, Bob Neuroth, Mark Martinez, Dell Orsula, Rich Vanderlei, Tom Kearney, Eddie Smith, Paul Hembrooke, Quinn Manor, Mike Nedved, Dave Hudson, Kurt Koepp, Danny Musraca.



TAKES GREAT STRIDES



LEFT PAGE, **Bottom Left:** Jim Reeves with the "after game blues." **Middle Left:** Ed Graham down after a tough play. **Middle Right:** Danny Mustaca makes an outstanding catch. **Bottom Right:** Team awaits a call from the ref. **THIS PAGE, Top Left:** Bob Neuroth throws a pass. **Top Middle:** A penalty is called against the opponents. **Top Right:** Coach Nelson and Coach Hannon plan their strategy. **Middle Left:** Mustangs show their feelings toward their opponents. **Middle Right:** Flying with the ball, Mustangs sail to victory.

The 1983-'84 Varsity Football team made great strides by turning the football program at Pioneer into a team that was respected by all their opponents. This year's seniors were an outstanding and hard working group who have set the tone for many years to come. The juniors on this team revealed talent that will make next year one of the most optimistic in quite some time.

GOOD LUCK!

... Coach Hannon



FROSH-SOPH FOOTBALL



Front Row: Jim Meedy, Jim Bonds, Donovan Lazar, Dave Holland, Grant Palmer, Gary Murry, Rick Wirmer, Derek Peterson, Mike Hopkins, Erik Wilson, Troy Gibson, Rikki Moody, Troy Marselme, Chris Stewart, Lennie Garcia, Paul Cardozo, Darren DeLeon, Bob Richardson, Joe Guardino, Frank Nero, Ivan Sanchez. Back Row: Jesse Gilliam, Jim Orlowski, Joe Cardozo, Glen Palmer, Jerry White, Grant Raymond, Anthony Pardo, Frank Martinez, Andre Malone, Jeff Hubbard, Bob Korman, Steve Kernan, Brian Murry, Erik Wilson, Greg Shupshire, Erik Nakano, Mike Rodriguez, Steve Jones, Jim Davis, Keith Kosten, Mike Pardo, Andre Brooks, Dave Straughn, Mark Hernandez, Robert Brandt, Dean Evans.



Above: Andre Brooks escapes a tackle. **Above Right:** Mustangs go for a down.



The 983-'84 Frosh-Soph Football Team earned a solid second place in the Santa Theresa Athletic League. This great season was accomplished through hard work by the team's AWESOME offense and defense.

The defense thrived on inflicting pain to their opponents. Led by All-League center and linebacker Jim Orlowski, All-League cornerback Andre' Brooks, All-League tackle and linebacker Erik Wilson, and All-League guard and linebacker Grant Palmer, Pioneer's defense consistently held their opponents to very minimal yardage. Highlight of the season came when the frosh-soph team beat San Jose for Pioneer's Homecoming and when Pioneer defeated the Leland Chargers, providing constant excitement for their fans.

The offense was skillfully guided by sophomore quarterback, Rick Wirmer. Much of the offense's success was brought about by an excellent offensive line. Four members made first team All-League. They led the running game and opened holes for Pioneer's awesome running backs, Dave Holland, Chris Stewart, and Donovan Lazar. When the running game was halted, Pioneer could always rely on their passing game. All-League right end, Mike Rodriguez, was the most outstanding receiver, along with Joe Cardozo and Bob Richardson. Again and again the offensive line held out the opposing defense in every game to enable Wirmer to pass and the backs to run. Running back Donovan Lazar stated, "We owe our success to the excellent offensive line."

Team awards, voted on by the players and coaches, are as follows: MVP - Jim Orlowski; Team Captain - Chris Stewart; Outstanding Freshman - Donovan Lazar; Most Inspirational - Chris Stewart; Outstanding Lineman - Erik Wilson; Outstanding Offensive Back - Donovan Lazar; Outstanding Defensive Back - Andre' Brooks; and Most Improved - Ivan Sanchez and Frank Nero.

The following Pioneer frosh-soph members were voted for All-League and also deserve special recognition: Jim Orlowski, linebacker and center; Erik Wilson, linebacker and tackle; Grant Palmer, guard and linebacker; Keith Kosten, guard and defensive tackle; Chris Stewart, running back; Donovan Lazar, running back; Mike Rodriguez, right end, and Andre' Brooks, corner back.

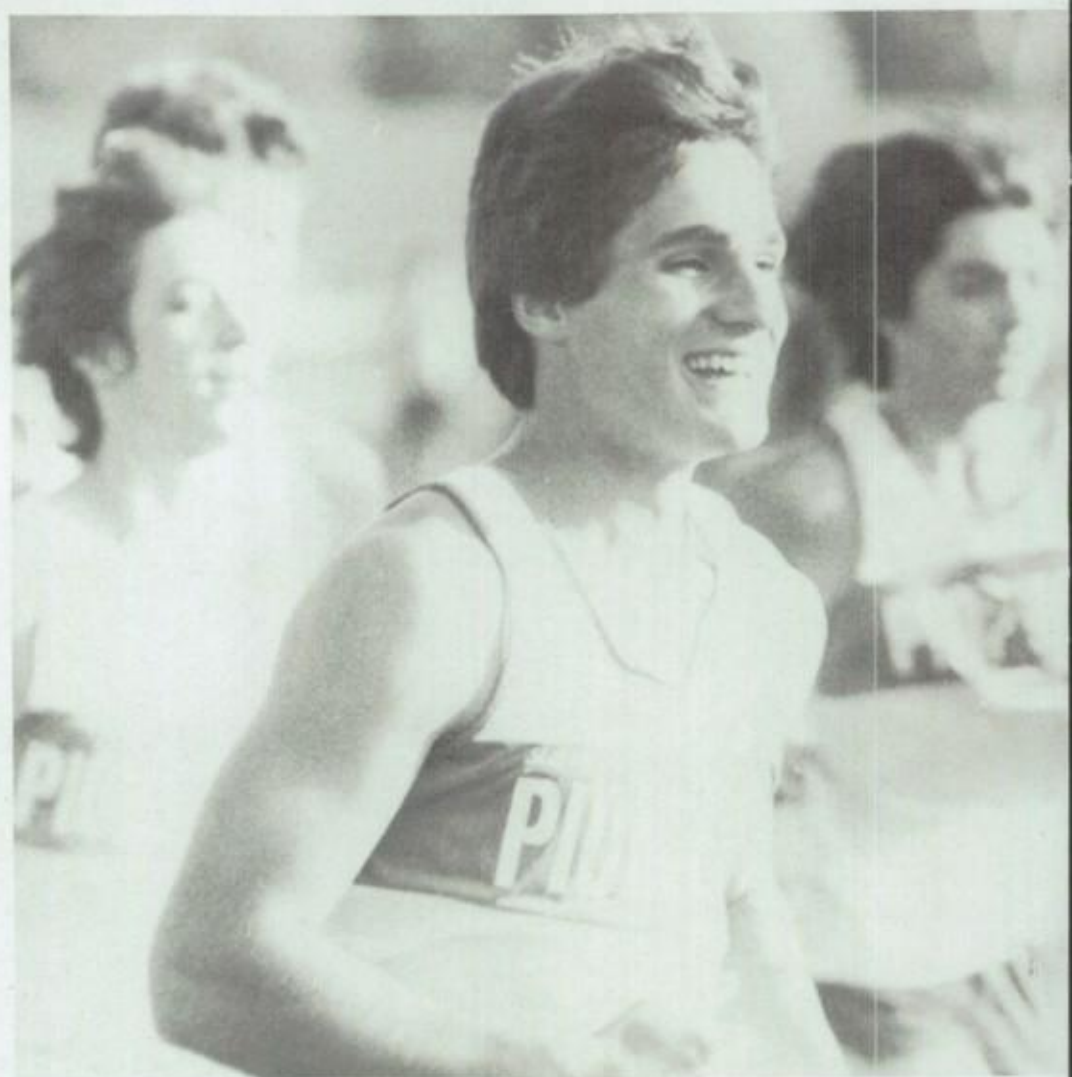


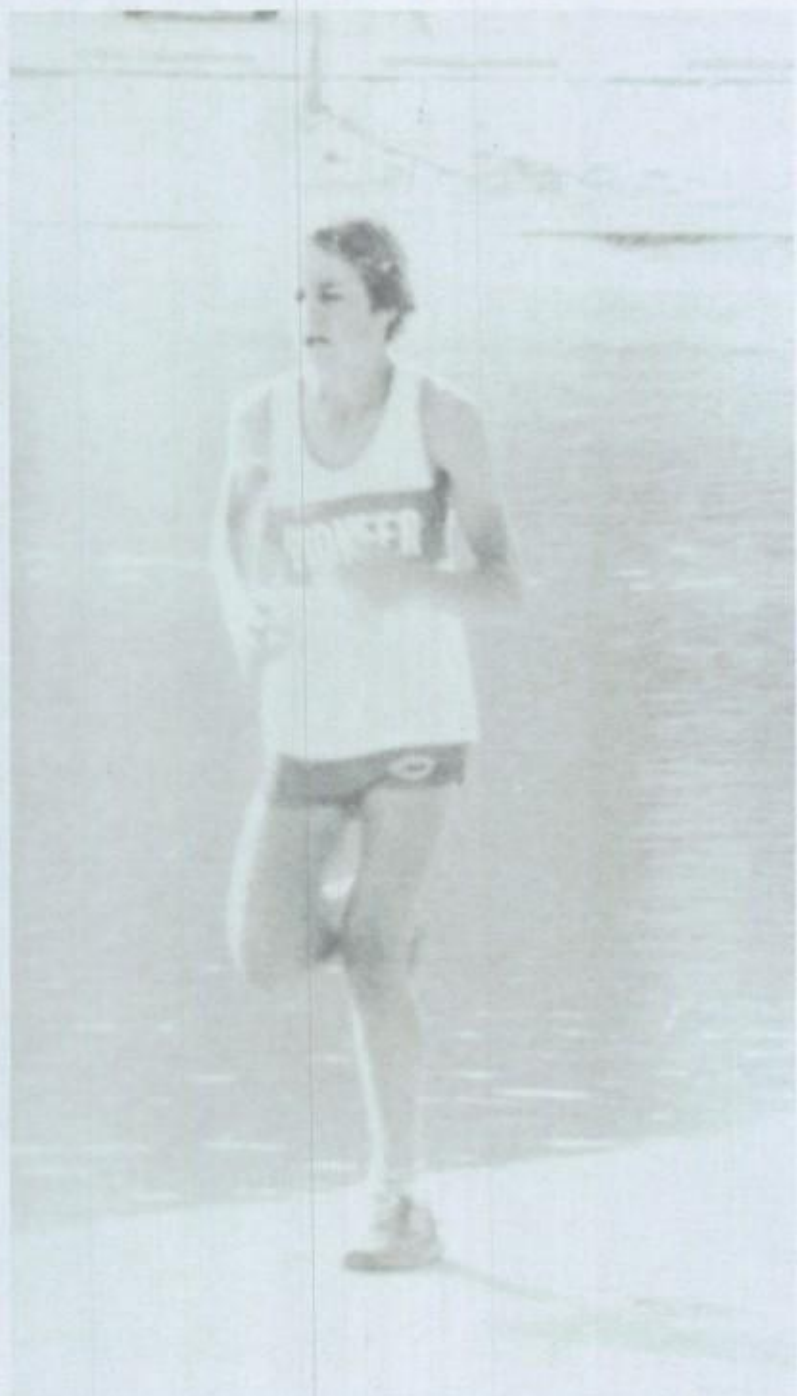
Top Left: Coach Gregg and Coach Orlowski discuss the next play. **Top Right:** Mustang back breaks for a gain. **Middle:** The line readies for battle. **Bottom:** Mustangs take a breather.

PRIDE IN GOING ALL THE WAY!



Back Row: Jim Harris, Tom Meininger, Dave Kison, Greg Talbot, Jim Sarge, Jason Dubois, Dan Woolley, and Coach Rusty Bence. **Front Row:** Steve Meininger, Fidel Villarreal, Jeff Sarge, Tony Abila, Kevin Phillips, Michelle Carlson, Mike Moraga, Larry Beacom, Suni Parker, and Andrea Reynolds.





This year's cross country season got off to a slow start. At the beginning of the school year the team was still without a coach. The team eventually got a coach, but with such a late start and such a young team we were only able to take fifth place in the league.

This season should be considered a rebuilding season. With only one senior on the team, there should be many returning runners next year. Good luck to next year's team.

Jim Sarge,
Team Captain



MUSTANG SOCCER KEEPS THE BALL ROLLING

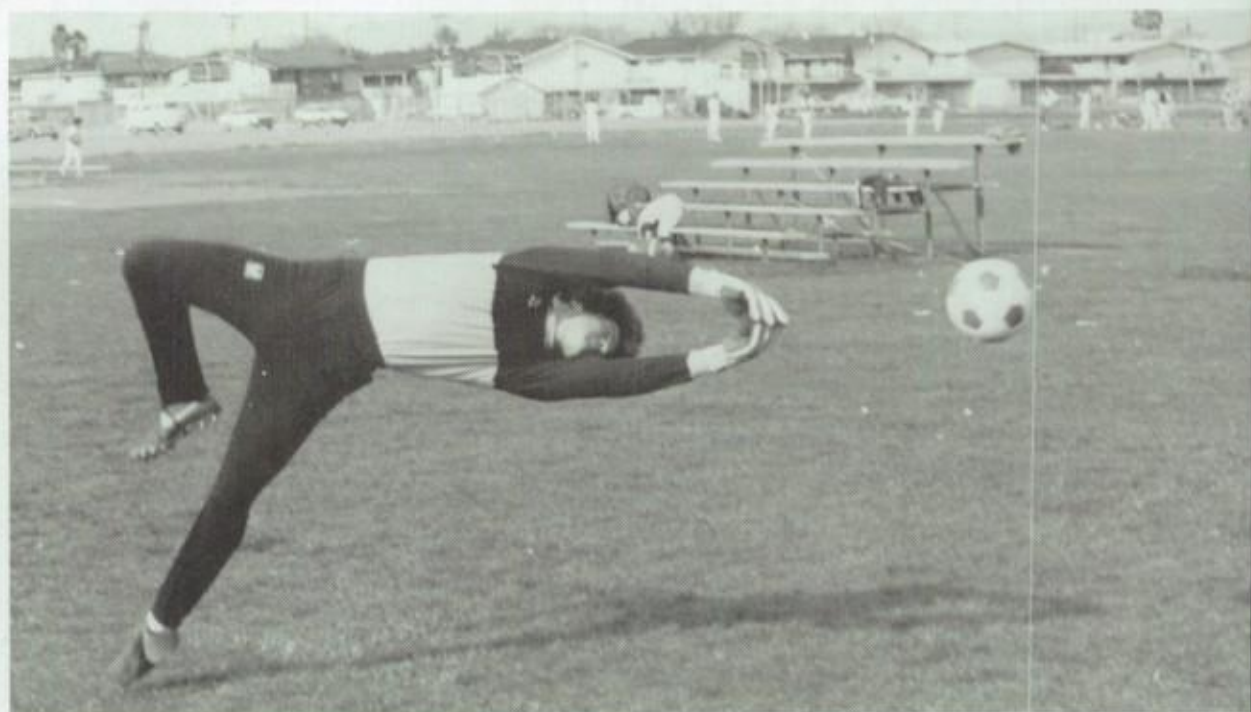
The boy's varsity soccer team had a slow start this year, but they made up for it during the season. Coach Mena was a new addition to the Mustang herd. Even though he was new this year, he did an excellent job as coach of Pioneer's varsity soccer team.

This year's team had eight seniors this year. Dennis McCoy was the teams MVP and an outstanding goalie. Jim Sarge, Howard Ogawa, Mike Prime, Henry Sanchez, Scott Sinagra, Kurt Vogler, and Rick Weiss were injured before the season started, but attended all the games, and kept up the team spirit.

With the juniors and sophomores this year's season will be a great success.

The talent, enthusiasm, and dedication of the players will keep Pioneer proud for many years to come.

Top row: Henry Sanchez, Scott Sinagra, Steve McCord, Jeff Schween, Luis Zapata. **Middle:** Jim Sarge, Rich Weiss, Denny McCoy, Gabe Regalado, Scott Steer. **Bottom:** Mike "Howdy" Prime, Mark Sheary, Kurt Vogler, Jim Killfoil, Howard Ogawa. **Coach:** Oscar Mena.



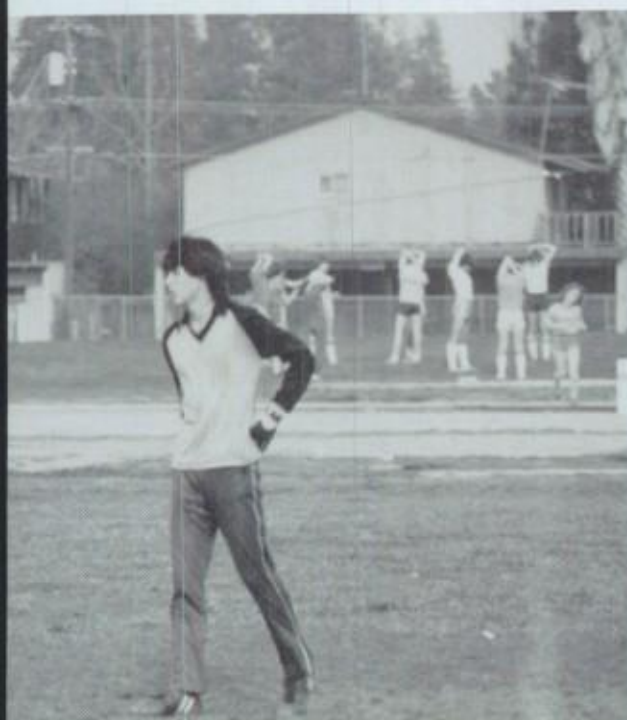
BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER



First row: Mike Dorn (coach), Edmund Khangaldian, Jeff Okubo, Jeff Minch, Dave Pearson, Brian Olson, Mike Palma. **Second row:** Bill Moradkham, Par Goo, Rob Lorenz, Dan Rose (captain), Farhand Malik. **Third row:** Greg Mank, Bobby Danielzada, Dennis Prime, Wayne Do, Bruce Blair, Jerry Jones (water boy).



With leading scorer Edmund Khangaldian, the Boy's Junior Varsity soccer team finished the year with a record of 5-5. The captains were Mark Teixeira and Dan Rose. Mark Teixeira was named most valuable player for his outstanding performance. The coach, Mike Dorn, entered the season a bit late but still did a super job training the team. Hopefully next season they will improve their standings in the league.



Above: Coach Dorn concentrates on his game.



Above: Good save by the goalie! **Far top left:** Jeff Okubo makes his shot. **Far bottom left:** Par Goo rests until the ball returns to his side. **Left:** A hard fight can get you down—that's soccer!!

J.V. SOCCER . . . GIVING IT THEIR ALL



This year's girls J.V. soccer team was very new to the sport. Some had never even played soccer before. They played about 12-14 games during the season.

Playing in the STAL the girls have had a great year in terms of learning about the game itself. The policy the coaches like to stress is not totally to win but to learn, building and enjoying the games so they will want to come back and play the varsity level in the near future.

Back row: Kelly McKelvey, Renee Ramirez, Julie Weitenstein, Kim Mikelson, Mary Krugger, Michelle Carlson, Coach John Poch. **Middle row:** Kim Stryer, Katia Zarnegar, Meredith Heiser, Suni Parker, Stephanie Raney, Shari Greenfield. **Front row:** Jodi Major, Sue Bowran, Andrea Reynolds, Brenda Montgomery, Kary Magee.

Middle right: Kim Stryer cautiously keeping her eye on the ball.
Bottom right: Stephanie Raney and Kary Magee working together in team spirit.



Above right: Both teams fighting for the ball.



VARSITY SOCCER... STRIDES AHEAD



Top right Lisa Schwenker making another save



The girl's varsity soccer team had a very successful year. Although they only won 5 out of 16 games, 7 were lost by only 1 point, and 4 of those 7 were lost within the last few minutes. Losing only three seniors this year should not affect the team too much because Coach Nelson has seen much improvement and looks forward to next year's team. For the girls, it will be their 3rd year playing together. When asked how he felt about high school soccer and the girls' team in particular Coach Nelson responded "STAL experience is the best teacher!"

Back row: Larisa Montelindo, Christine Gonzales, Lisa Schwenker, Karie McEntire, Coach Nelson, **Middle row:** Lupi Reynoso, Julie Alfonso, Kare McEntire, Rhonda Ervin, Karhy Gilbreath, Tracy Fant. **Front row:** Tiffany Schardt, Michelle Arnody, Diana Kocina, Mary Sprawl, Suzie Weitenstein.

Middle left: Julie Alfonso dribbling the ball down the field. **Bottom left:** Karie McEntire, Lisa Schwenker, and Lupi Reynoso working together to keep a goal from being made.

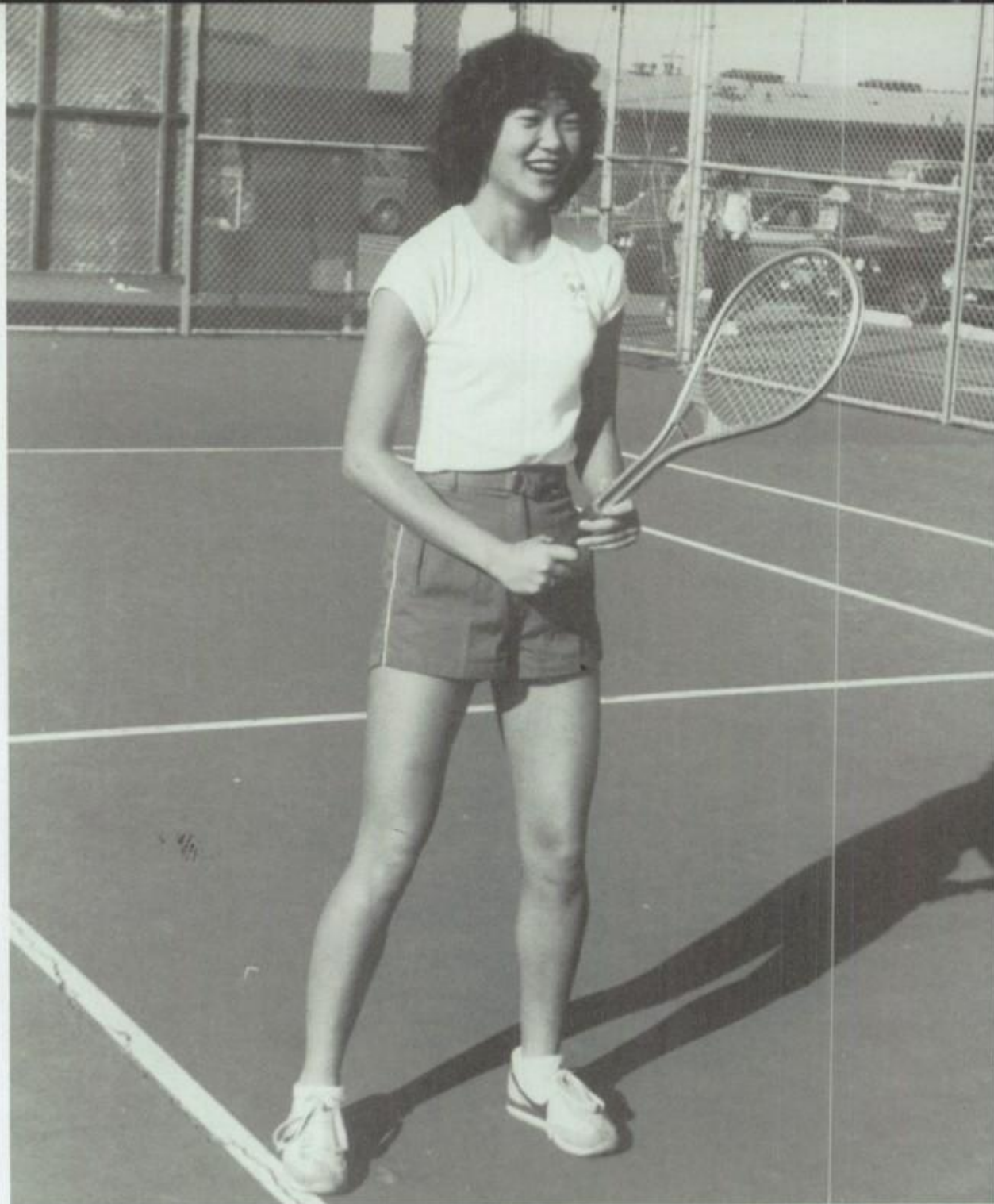


The Pioneer Girls' Varsity Tennis Team ended the 1983 season with 8 wins and 6 losses, earning them a respectable third place in the overall league standings.

Though Pioneer found such formidable opponents as Leland, Willow Glen, Los Garos, and Mirry too powerful to overcome, they skillfully rose to the challenges presented by Del Mar, Leigh, Branham, Lincoln, and Gunderson, by pocketing impressive victories.

Outstanding achievements deserving special recognition belonged to singles players Lisa Green and Tamiko Kuromi, and the doubles teams of Jennifer Remen and Judy Stark, and Tiffany Schardt and Allyson Takera for their performances at the STAL Singles and Doubles Tournament. Lisa Green, who only lost one match in her two years on the Pioneer team, finished first in the competition; and Tamiko Kuromi and the two Pioneer doubles teams all made it to the finals in the STAL consolation rounds. The doubles team of Jennifer Remen and Judy Stark reined victorious. Coach Rose, who was quite pleased with the season's outcome, summed it up stating, "We had a good season beating teams comparable to our school's. With only two players leaving, we are looking forward to a fine season next year."

Front Row-Victoria Asensi, Kim Whirworth, Kerry Gallagher, Allyson Takera, Tiffany Schardt. **Back Row-** Coach Rose, Lisa Green, Judy Stark, Tamiko Kuromi, Amy Remen, Carol Nanamura, Jennifer Remen, Susie Underwood



Pioneer Loves Our Girls!



The 1983-'84 Girls' Junior Varsity Tennis Team was composed of eight competitors. Five freshmen and three sophomores coached by Mr. Ray Rose made the tennis team an appreciated addition to the sports department. Coach Rose worked with the enthusiastic Freshmen, Kelly Maxwell, Corrin Graun, Jodi Discardi and Shannon Carsten. Three tenth grade girls, Kristina Kerkoc, Eileen Abrahamian and Claire Bannister, also participated on the J.V. team. The combination of the two grade levels made the Girls' Junior Varsity Tennis Team a group to definitely be proud of. Manager Mike Borigiorno, a freshman, deserves thanks also. His support and determination boosted the confidence of the girls! Good luck to the future Varsity Tennis Team.



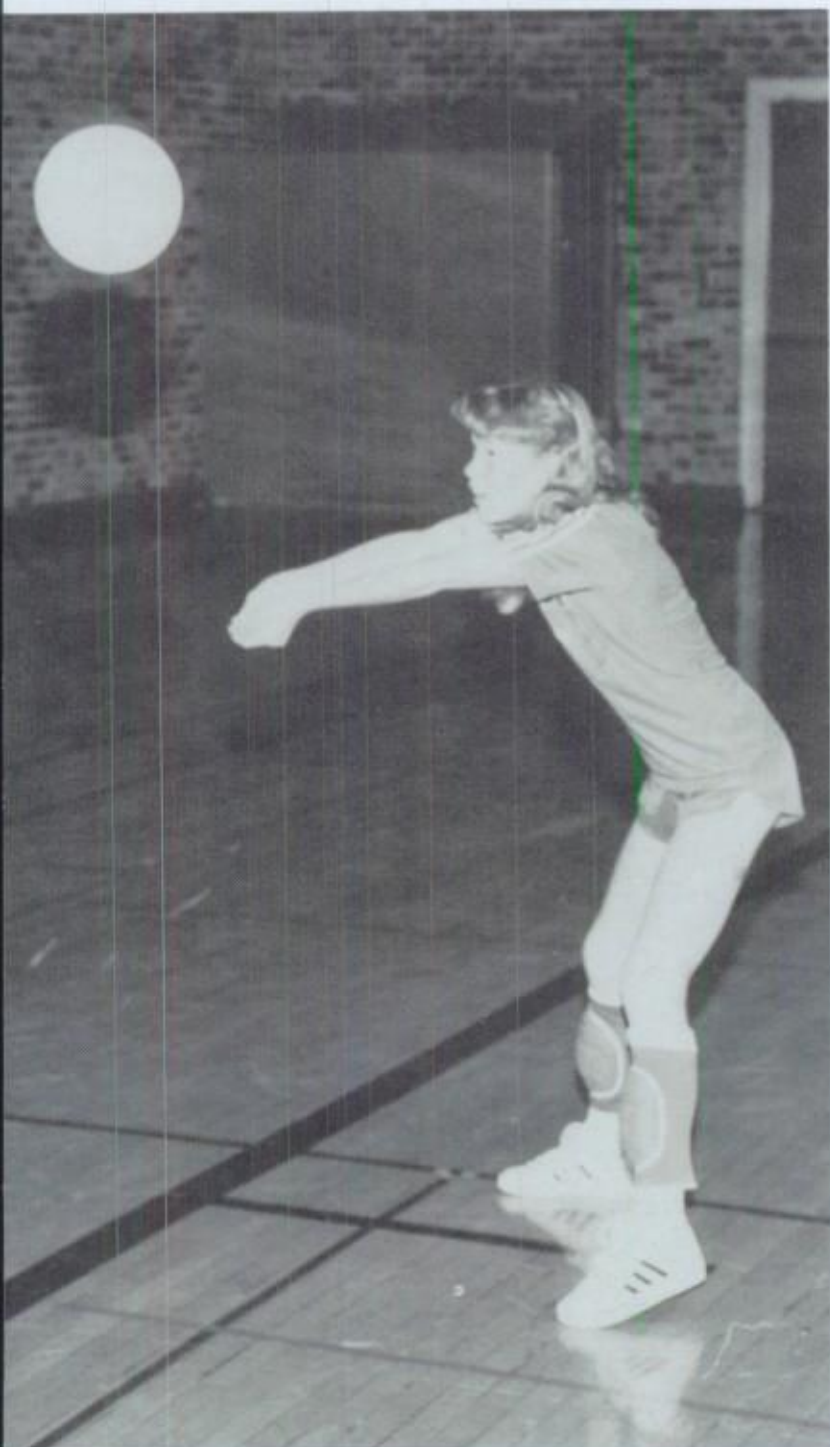
PIONEER'S NET GAIN

Pioneer's Girls Volleyball teams added a lot to the sports program here at Pioneer. The girls played excellent matches all year and fought hard to defeat as many opponents as possible. The many hours of difficult practice began early in September and lasted through the entire season and extra season tournaments. In most volleyball games three matches are played. However, in the games against San Jose High School, the Varsity team beat the Bulldogs in the first match with a score of 15-4. The Junior Varsity team also defeated San Jose. They shut them out in the first match. And struggled in the second to beat them 15-13. The coaching skills of Debbie Baker (J.V.) and Norma Hammons (V.) produced a successful team.

Each team had special players singled out to receive recognition. The most valuable player for the Varsity team was Tracy Welsh. The recipient of the same award on the Junior Varsity team was Tina Michealson. Chris Lofgren was the most inspirational player of the Varsity team, and Mary Sprowe, was definitely an inspiration to the J.V. team. It seemed that all players improved, but Diana Ambrooster and Cathy Hillsread made excellent progress this year. With all the talent and enthusiasm of the girls this year, the Mustang team will be hard to defeat next year!

Above right: Tracy Welsh makes a great play.
Below right: Top row: April Fenton, Chris Lofgren, Tracy Welsh, Jeanette Branscum **Bottom row:** Sandra Richards, Lupe Reynoso, Cathy Hillsread, Trish Tallman **Below:** Debbie Baker, J.V. Coach, and Norma Hammons Varsity Coach





Left: Tina Rochette performs a spectacular bump. **Below:** Chrissy Pastineks goes for the pass. **Bottom: Top:** Sherry, Sue Brown, Jenifer Wright, Chrissy Pastineks, Diane Armbruster, **Middle:** Tina Michealson, Mary Sprowe, Mary Bishop, Beverly Vollmer, **Bottom:** Kim Loney, Torey Del Canto, Tina Rochette.



VARSITY BASKETBALL... SHOOT TO VICTORY!



The Team: Coach Seandel, Ed Graham, Eric Svenson, Cody Chamberlain, Jeff Kreiser, Brian Lane, Jeff Lambert, Andre Shangolian. **Front:** Sean O'Donnel, Rick Whirmer, Ricky Shigemoto, Terrance Graham, Larry Loeffler. **Top Right:** Jeff Lambert shoots for two. **Above:** Rick Whirmer with another Pioneer basker. **Middle:** Eric Severson looks for an open teammate. **Middle Right:** Jeff Kreiser and opponent fight for a jump ball. **Right:** Pressure surrounds as Cody Chamberlain shoots.

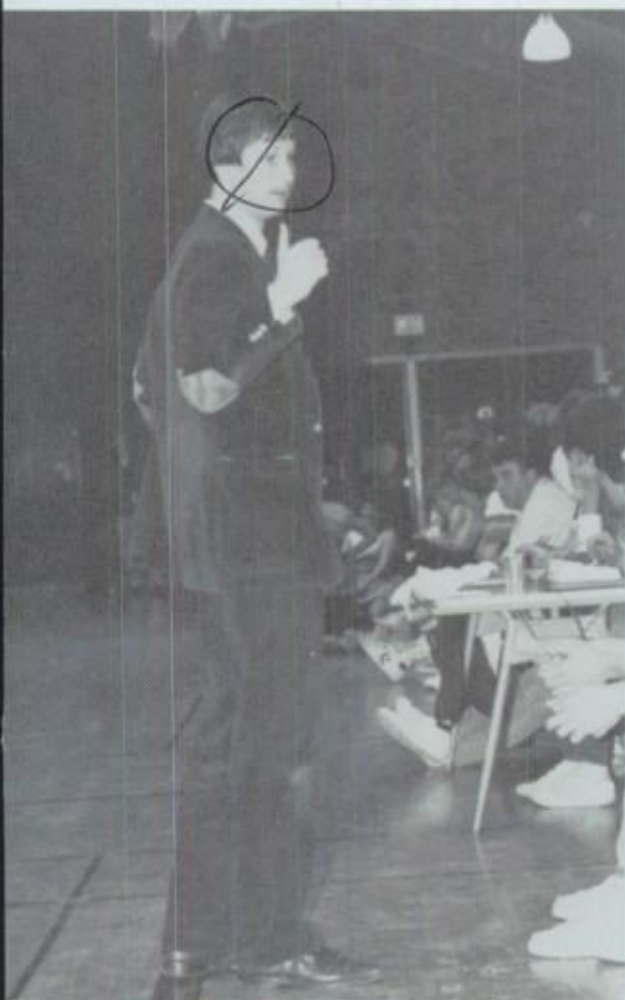


to coach with love is Golden



Dear Jolie
Well, it certainly
has been an adventure
this year in
World Cultures. Keep
on laughing and try
working a little
harder.

Stay out of
trouble this
summer
Coach Seandel



This year's Pioneer Varsity Basketball team had an amazing season. At the time of the year-book deadline, the Mustangs were tied for Second place in the STAL and were in contention for the CCS playoffs. Some of this year's major accomplishments: a 64-41 win over three-time defending champion Fremont Christian in the Blossom Valley Classic, a 62-56 win over arch-rival Gunderson, and a 44-37 win over Willow Glen, the first time in twelve years that Pioneer has defeated Willow Glen in a varsity basketball game. This year's fine record is a tribute to the team's hustle and dedication. Rick Shigemoro (Sr.), Jeff Lambert (Jr.), and Jeff Kreiser (Sr.) have been key performers all year for the Mustangs, but it has been a team effort all the way, with all eleven men on the team contributing.

TO THE TEAM:

It is not often, in today's society, that a coach has a chance to be associated with such fine young student-athletes, as I have. As basketball players, you have rebuilt the basketball program here at Pioneer through hard work and dedication; as a Coach, no one could ask for more. You have had some successes, but I feel you gave something to the game and deserved every success you received. Thanks for everything and good luck.

Coach Seandel

BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL



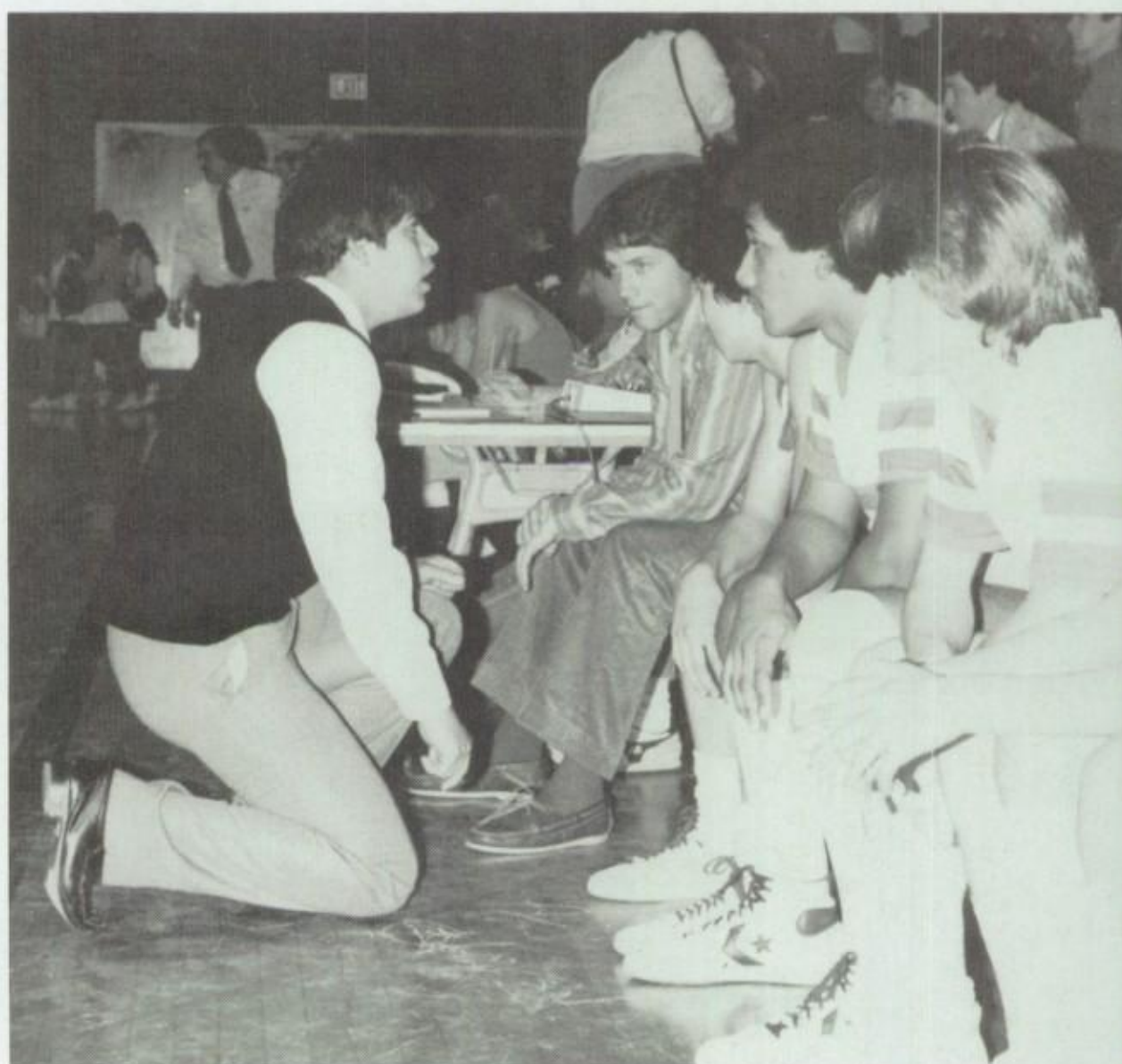
Front Row: Derek Kiragawa, Larry Laform, Andre Brooks, Tom McAfee, Rod Abad, Chris Pankratz, Frash-Soph Coach Todd Buller, Doug Karmin, Flex Kokeny, Ray Gibson, Andy Maloara, Dave Holland, Grant Palmer, Ed Goo, Manager Chris Moore, Assistant Coach Shawn Miller.

For the first time in eight years the Pioneer Mustang Frash-Soph basketball team recorded a winning season. The Mustangs ended up 11-10 for the season, and 6-4 in a tough STAL League.

The Mustangs got off to a early 5-2 record, but injuries and key personnel loss dropped the Mustangs to a 5-6 pre-season record. However, after some early losses to Leland and Gunderson, the Mustangs got rolling, winning six of the last eight games. The team was lead by the scoring and rebounding of Flex Kokeny along with Derek Kiragawa, Grant Palmer, David Holland and Rod Abad who played exceptionally well all season.

Congratulations are due to both the coaching staff and the team members of the Pioneer Frash-Soph team.

The outlook for next year is very good with guards Rod Abad, Andre Brooks, Larry Laform, and Tom McAfee. Also, with Chris Pankratz, Doug Karmin and 6'4" center, Andy Maloara, the team should be a strong contender for the league championship.





Left Page. Bottom Right: Head coach Todd Duller counsels his players. **This page. Top left:** Filez Kokeny gets ready to throw a pass. **Top Middle:** Ed Good tries to fake his opponent. **Top Right:** Filez Kokeny goes up for the shot. **Middle Left:** Andy Malaara pouts at a bad call. **Bottom Left:** The ball goes up for grabs.

JULIE:

SORRY FOR CALLING
YOU SO MANY BAD NAMES.
OH WELL, MAYBE NEXT
YEAR WE'LL BECOME
BETTER FRIENDS. MEAN
WHILE, HAVE A KILLER
SUMMER!

BUBBA.

GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL



Top left: Cheryl Legas passes to an open teammate. **Left:** Heidi York escaping a block. **Above:** Pioneer demonstrates what team work is all about. **Right:** Tami Barista successfully executes the chest pass.

VARSITY SCORE BOARD

Gunderson-	57-33	Gunderson-	50-45
Leland-	41-40	Leland-	54-47
Willow Glen-	42-23	Willow Glen-	58-36
San Jose-	52-23	San Jose-	75-35
Lincoln-	59-28	Lincoln-	76-49

This year the girls varsity basketball team did extremely well. Headed by their two very capable and loving coaches, Mr. Glenn & Mr. Allen Ventura, and their two team captains, Laura Lewis and Tamiko Kuromi the girls were placed fourth in C.C.S. for a good portion of the season. Hard, long practices did not go to waste as one can clearly see by their **spotless record**. The girls made it to the C.C.S. playoffs this year. Eight of the girls will be returning next year, including all five of this year's starters. The Mustangs prove once again that we can turn out some of the best athletes around. Our own Tamiko Kuromi was voted M.V.P. of the Santa Theresa League. Tami Barista and Allison Takera made first team all league; Kathy Jones and Chris Guardino made second team all league. All of the girls wish to give a huge "THANKS" to their coaches for all of their support.



THROUGH THE HOOP TO C.C.S.



Standing: Coach Glenn Ventura, JoAnn Edwards, Laura Lewis, Tamiko Kuromi, Cheryl Legos, Heidi York, Coach Allen Ventura. **Front:** Karhy Jones, Chris Guardino, Tamie Batista, Allyson Takera, Janer Davis.



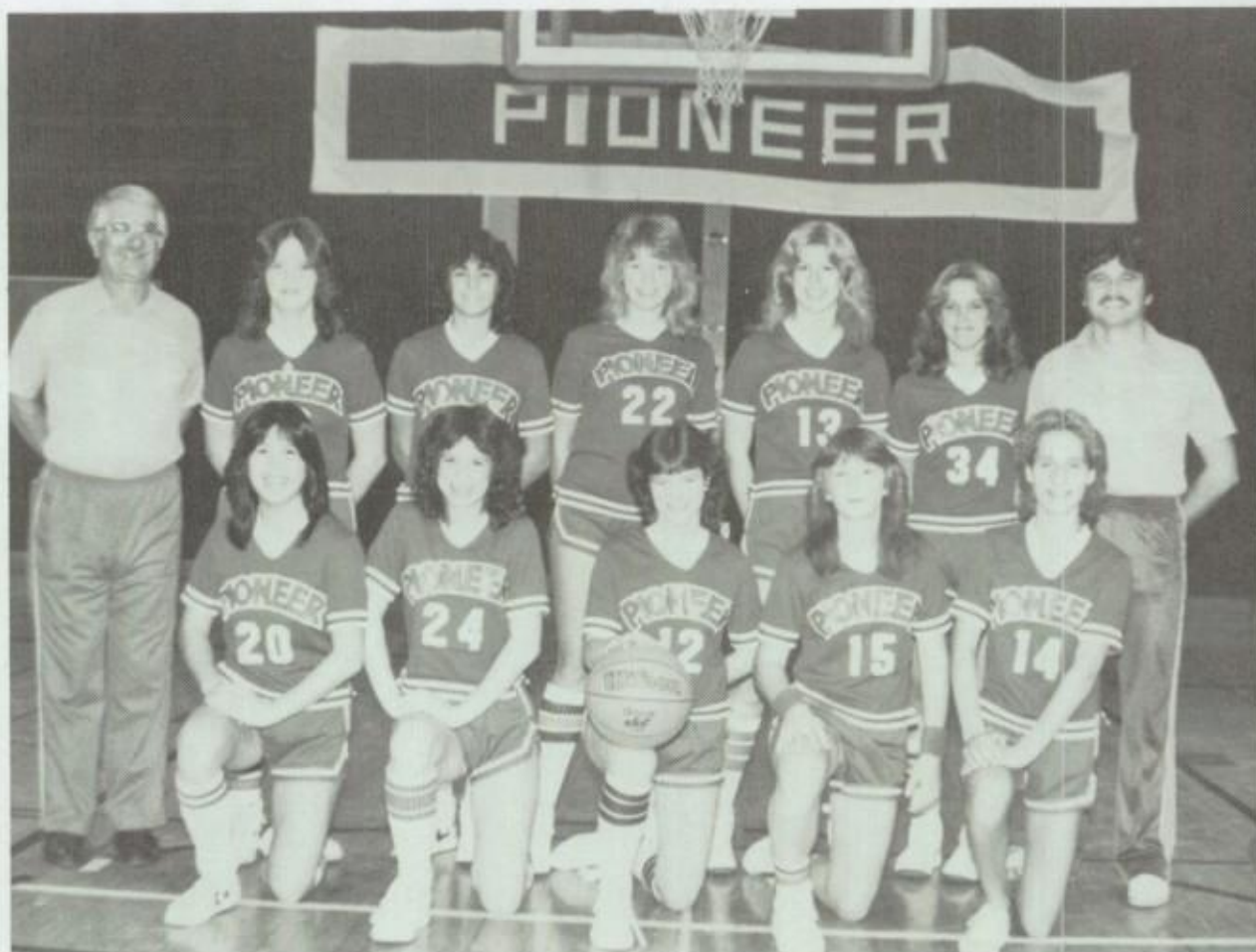
Top: Tamiko Kuromi and JoAnn Edwards take a break. **Right:** Allyson Takera giving it her best shot. **Bottom:** The team discussing their next play.



GIRLS J.V. BASKETBALL DRIBBLE TO SUCCESS



Above: Karen waits for her pass. **Right:** Hands up everybody!



First row: Coach Airolti, Pam Lattman, Debbie Texeira, Eva Steferni, Tiffany Slager, Margaret Mackintosh, Coach Ayala. **Second row:** Cory Fong, Beth Remen, Karen Papalias, Michelle Fleishaker, Carol Martinek.

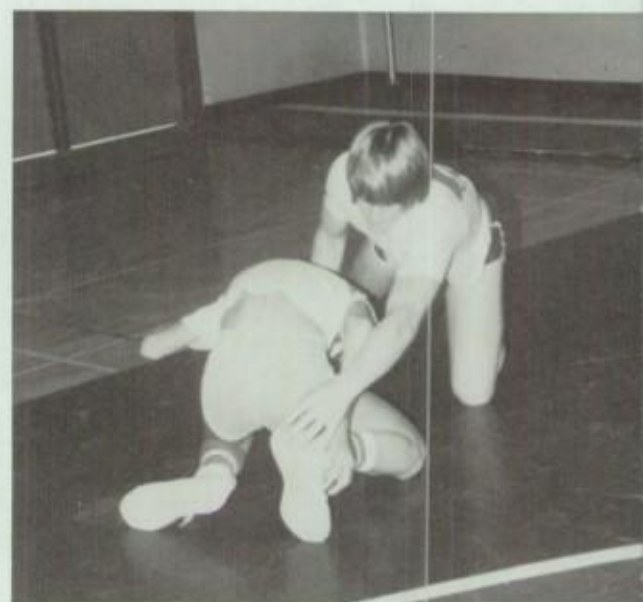
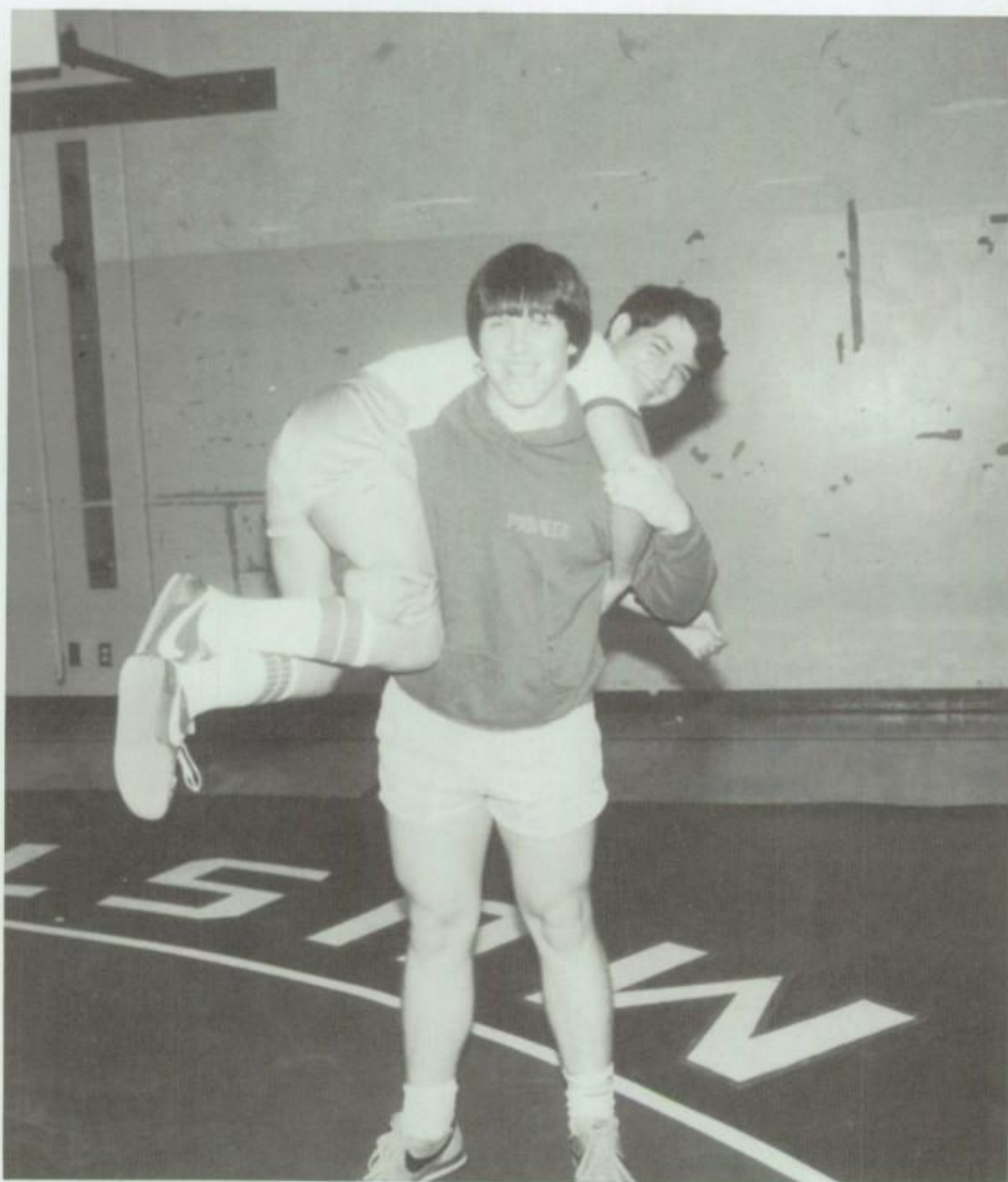




Above: Tiffany gets the ball taken away by a Leland player. **Left:** Michelle runs for the ball. **Above left:** Karen reaches for the invisible ball.

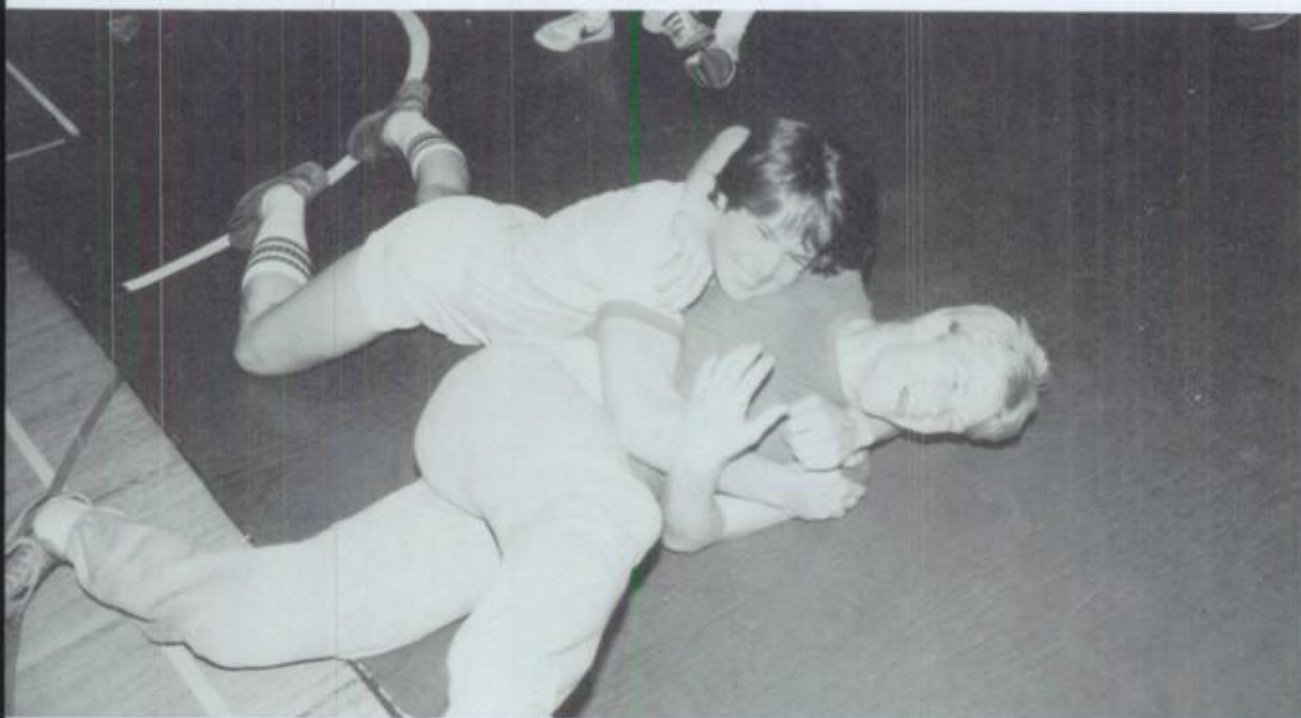


PIONEER'S WRESTLERS



Above: Kevin Thurber displays amazing feats of strength. **Top right:** Coach Jimenez. **Middle Right:** Mustangs in starting position. **Right:** Jim Meech displays the Knee Bone's connected to the head bone. **Next page:** **Top:** Mustangs in an all out brawl. **Right:** Tony Delcanto and Derek Cockler: Hey Hey mom! look what I found!! **Far Right:** Pioneer down for the count.





Front row: Todd Wright, Frank Cade, Tim Holmberg, Mike Ferguson, Derek Cackler, Kenny Houser, Jim Meech. **Back row:** Coach Jimenez, Doug Smith, Jason DuBois, Paul Lanning, Tony DelCanto, Kevin Thurber, Will Bouch, Chris Smith, Justin DuBous, Dave Modderman.



VARSITY BASEBALL

This year's Varsity Baseball Team made a fine effort during their season. Although twelve of the 18 players had no previous experience the team did have six very capable returning lettermen from last year. The newcomers who proved themselves valuable to the team were Chris Manhard (Second baseman), Mike Sajak (First baseman), and Jim Grizelak (Left field). Although there was a weakness in pitching, their strengths were in hitting, speed, and defense. Dan Mustaca (Short stop) and John Hartman (Third baseman) were the main stays in the infield. Ron Lozon (Center field) and Bill Ruffner (Pitcher) were also among the most valuable players. All in all, the entire team did a fine job. We congratulate the team for their great effort.

A special thanks is due to Coach Briscoe and his assistants Russel Bence and Manny Perez.



Top: Front row-Ron Lozon, Bill Ruffner, Dan Mustaca, Chris Manhardt, Rick Wirmer, Jesse Alejandre. 2nd row-Jim Oprey, Mike Sajak, Jim Reeves, Vasa Vaddeparti, Quinn Manor, Alan Glowacki, Todd Lonac. Top row-Coach Briscoe, Jim Grzelak, Codi Gleason, Jon Hartman, Jeff Cerneka, Coach Perez. **Middle left:** Bill Ruffner shot them in. **Middle right:** Ron Lozon dives for a line drive.



J.V. BASEBALL



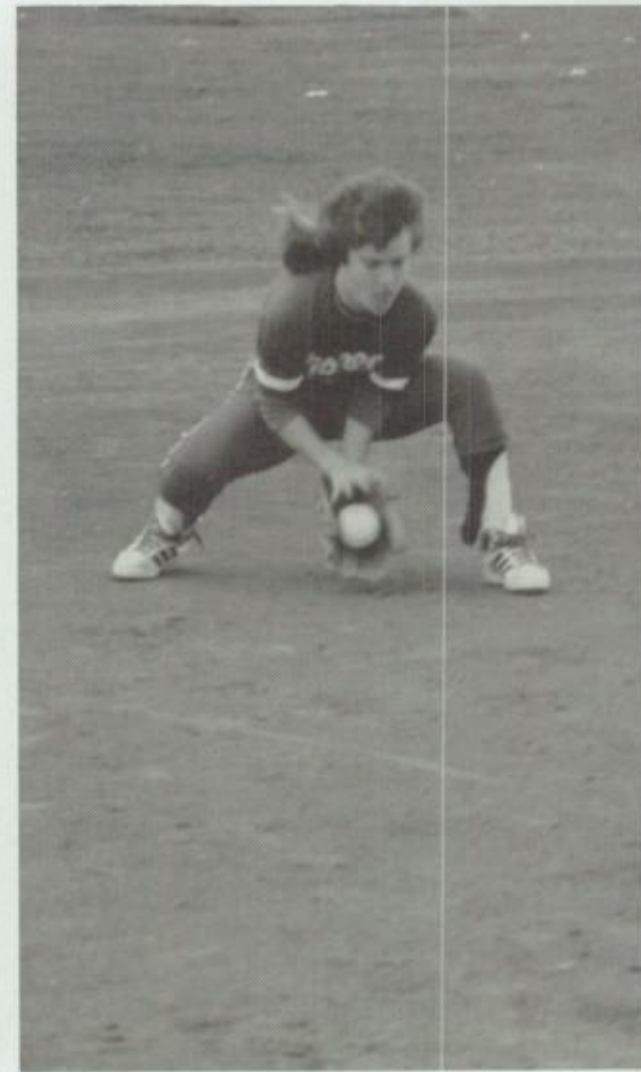
The Junior-Varsity Baseball Team did extremely well this year. With a basically freshman team, Coaches Dante Diotalevi and Robert Dicampli, returning Alumni, worked hard to make the team promising. Individual strengths and teamwork was the key to a good season. These individual strengths were demonstrated in Darren Denson's remarkable ability as Third baseman and Douglas Kirogema's ability as Shortstop and his strength in hitting. Other key players were Robert Lee (Pitcher) and Derek Peterson (Catcher). The team played a fourteen game schedule that finished before Easter. The members of the team deserve an applause for their tremendous effort.



Top left: Steve Nichol prepares to throw it to home.

Top right: Front row-Darren Denson, Jim Miller, Steve Nichol, Norman Alexander, Gary Troiani. 2nd row-Doug Karmin, Mike Lein, John Ruffner, Andy Malaora, Fred D'Ambrosio, Jim Blume. 3rd row-Coach Dante Diotalevi, Chris Pankratz, Doug Kirojima, Eric Johnson, Bob Lee, Sean Odonnehh, Coach Bob Dicampli, Mike Craig. **Middle:** John Ruffner scoops one up. **Bottom:** Coach Dicampli, Coach Diotalevi, Todd Lonac, John Ruffner, and Mike Lein admire a stupid play.

SOFTBALL . . . MAKING A HIT AT PIONEER!



The Pioneer Girls Softball Team was the reigning Santa Teresa League Champions! With the great coaching ability of Coach John Bruno and Coach Charlie Miguel, and the dedication of the players, the Varsity team rose to their dignified position. In the 1983-84 season, the outcome not yet known, the girls were determined to maintain their top status. The attempt proved vital due to the long hours of practice and very hard work. The Pioneer Mustangs had one of the youngest teams, again this year, in the league. This may have seemed to be a disadvantage in the beginning, but this will be a great advantage in the future. In the 1984-85 season you will have only seen two Mustangs leave. Both Theresa Guardino and Lupe Reynoso will leave the Pioneer Varsity Softball Team.

The 1983-84 Varsity team had fantastic skill and diversity in both offense and defense this year. In the infield Christine Guardino, Kathy Jones, Dena Frommelt, Tamie Barista, Julie Poff, Elizabeth Mac Donald, and Theresa Guardino pull their skills together to form a strong unit. The outfield is controlled by Suzie Weitenstein, Chris Loffgren, and Lupe Reynoso, with each of these girls putting their skills, experiences, determination and time together. Pioneer had an awesome team this year and will most likely strive to even greater heights in the future.



Back Row Coach Bruno, Theresa Guardino, Christine Guardino, Tamie Barista, Elizabeth Mac Donald, Lupe Reynoso, Coach Miguel. **Front Row** Dena Frommelt, Shelly Delage, Julie Poff, Suzie Weitenstein, Kathy Jones, Chris Loffgren.



Back row: Adrienne San Filippo, Pam Leteman, Beth Remen, Kim Loney, Michelle Flaishaker. Front row: Stephanie Aichele, Julie Knadler, Tiffany Slagar, Amy Ramen, Sara Johnson. Not Pictured: Coach Ayala, Coach Wright.

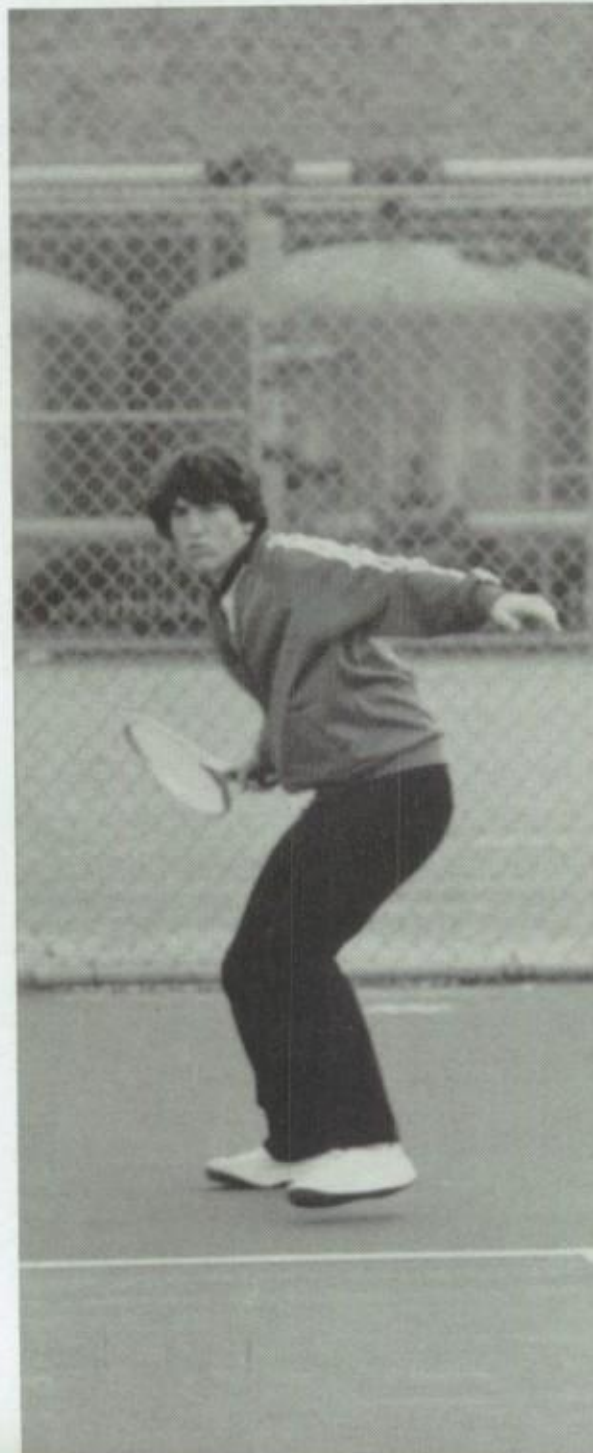


BOYS TENNIS . . .

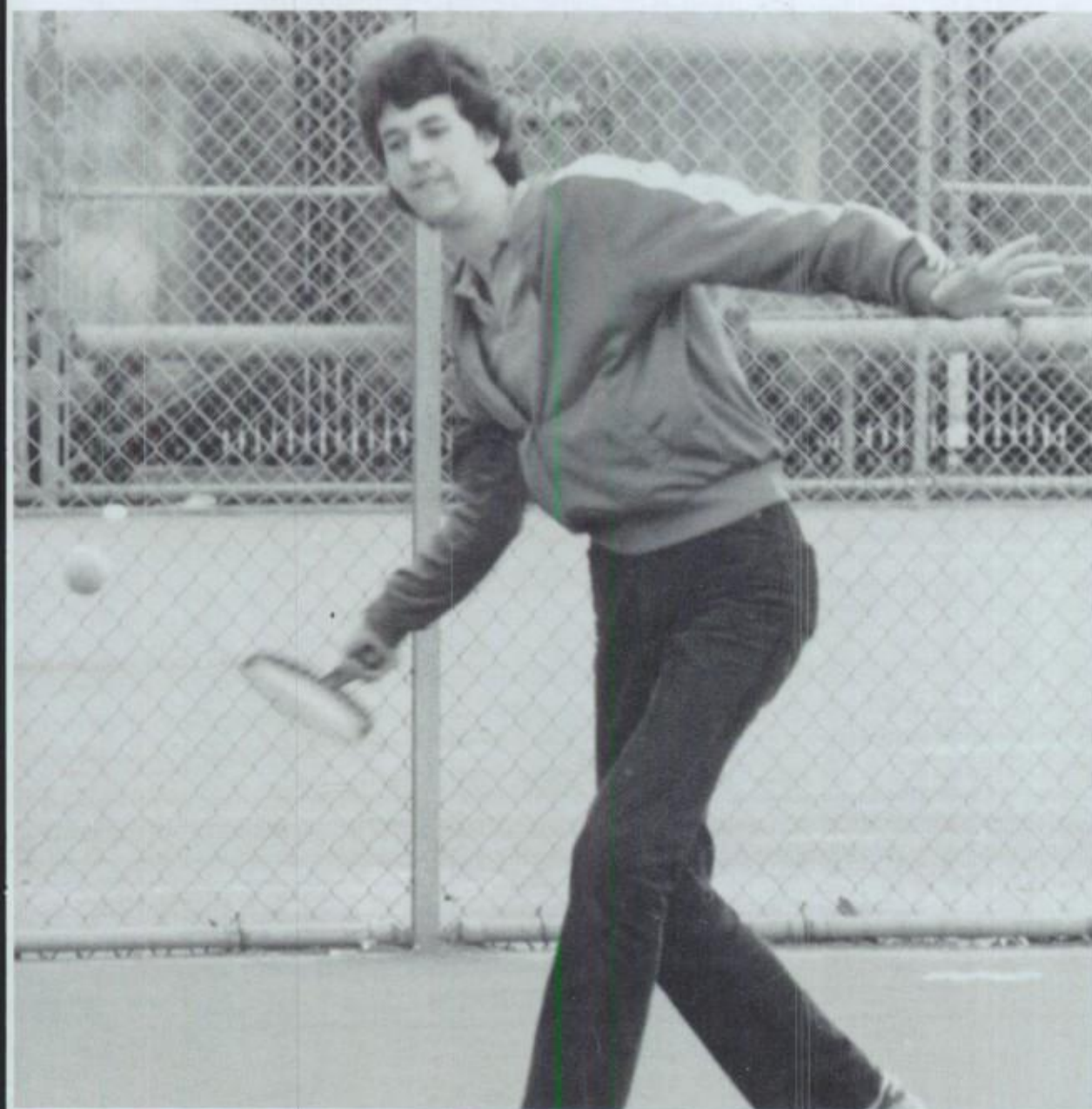


Pioneer had a very good season this year. Returning to the team was our #1 player, Jim Baird. With new but good players like Dave Lu, and Brian Peterson, the team was very competitive. This year the players to look out for were: Jim Hird, Grayson Magana, Greg Reiss, Scott Wendler, and Scott Manely. Individual strengths and teamwork were the key for the team's success.

Top: Front row: Dave Lu, Dave Gaudin, Mike Bongiorno, Mike Tiscornia, Jeff Turner, Brian Bruha. **Back row:** Coach Rose, Scott Manely, Jim Baird, Frank Pendleton, John Hird, Jeff Kreiser, Scott Wendler, Greg Reiss, Joe Hanson. **Right:** Greg Reiss Beginning his forehand. **Far right:** Greg Following through.



... PIONEER'S RACKET



Top left: John Hird ready to play. **Top:** Scott Manley with his eye on the ball. **Far left:** Dave Lu ... A fantastic swing. **Left:** Scott Wendler with a left forehand. **Above:** Coach Rose.

H₂O MEN BACKSTROKE THROUGH THE YEAR

The 1984 Pioneer Boys' Swim Team provides the "seed" that potentially could develop this sport at this school to the highest level.

The team was made up of 10 students with virtually no experience in competitive swimming, with the exception of Art Del Miro and Chris Dion, who have trained the year round. Their enthusiasm and drive in practice provides "personal bests" throughout the season and made in our eyes a very successful season.

The leadership for this squad came from Art Del Miro, who was the only representative for Pioneer at CCS, but this will change next year with more experience and the same work the boys showed this year.

Front Row-Raoul Morcare, Mark Garcia, Kevin Thurber. **Back Row**-Coach Lee Nicolao, Will Reames, Arthur Delnero, Herb Alpers, Rob Ochoa, Mike Cohn



BADMINTON . . . WATCH THE BIRDIE!



This year's badminton team features Sompeth Phamacham and Janer Davis as the returning leaders for boys and girls in 1984. Others who returned were Janalee Duttie, Michelle Delbene, Dave Black, Anthony Ferante, John Strergeon, Dave Knowlden, Bill Go, and April Fenton. New players this year included: Scott Dreblow, Bonnie Hill, Dianne Kacina, Paul Liffingren, Becky Sheff, Alex Nijmeh, Eve Srefani.

First row: Coach Portal, David Black, Anthony Ferranti, Julie Turner, Becky Sheff, Stacia Burks, Eve Srefani, Scott Dreblow, Assistant coach Daryn Duttie, Tran Hai. **Second row:** Alex Nijmeh, Paul Liffengren, Frank Cade, Bill Go, Jon Strergen.

Sompeth Phammachanh swars for flies. John Strergen declares open seasons on birdies.

TRACK . . . ON THE RUN



Top: Dave Ludi goes for it; and gets it!! **Above:** Junior, Chris Brown, in the air. **Right:** Pioneer track team. **Top row:** Coach Hearn, Greg Blank, Kim Whirworth, Kerry Gallager, Greg Talbot, Wendy Panches, Shawn Rocha, Jeff Sarge, Jim Harris, Steve Meinnegar. **Second row:** Brenda, Diane, Andrea Reynolds, Mike Moraga, Chris Brown. **Third Row:** Kim Stryer, Mary Sprowl, Michelle Arnaudy, Lisa Shwenker, John Magee, Kim Scow, Cindy Sanchez, Tom Meinnegar, John Peterson, Scott. **Bottom row:** Coach Constantine, Troy, John Karbowski, David Luca, Coach Kellygor.





Left: Jim Sarge finishes first. **Middle left:** Freshman Mary Sprowl is an important asset to the team. **Middle right:** A determined Shawn Rocha prepares to go. **Bottom:** Will Bouch sprints ahead.



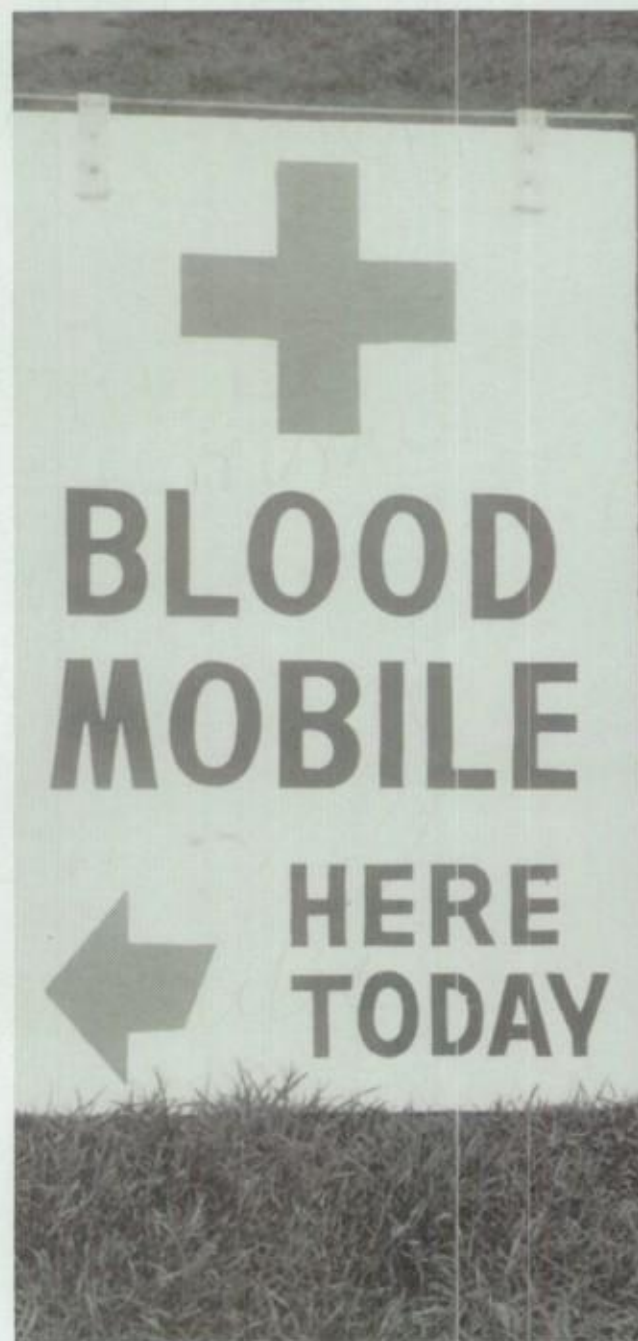
Pioneer's '84 track team has crossed the finish line with another great year. Our exceptional new members have kept in the shadow of the continuing teammates. The team demonstrates their natural talent through their endurance and self-confidence within each other and themselves. Two great assets to the team's success were Jim Sarge, senior and Mary Sprowl, freshman. All in all the team demonstrates the pride and respect to the sport of track and field through daily practices and meets.

GREAT COMIC MOMENTS IN SPORTS

These two pages have captured the lighter side of sports at Pioneer. Although we take our sports very seriously, there are just some moments that deserve a good laugh. These moments made the games easier to watch and provided a little "comic relief."



Top: Is this humanly possible? It is for outstanding goalie, Denny McCoy of the boys Varsity Soccer team. Denny can now safely say, "Look mom, no hands (or feet)!" **Above:** Leland opponent stops the game to give Ricky Shigemoto a shoe fitting. Do you "have a size 12 in a loafer?" **Right:** Blood is always present during sport activities. It seems there's more "casualties" than "curads."





Top left: Coach Seandel explains to the Frosh-Soph coach that his varsity can dribble circles around the Frosh-Soph. **Top right:** Pioneer demonstrates a new style of pitching where the ball is rolled down the diamond. This pitch should always be taken lying down. **Left:** Suni Parker winds up her "right hook" against Willow Glen. Suni will have a match with Sugar Ray Leonard next fall. **Above:** Baller hits it big at Pioneer. Pictured is the newest step "flying mustang."

Julie
I have a good
week and promise to
come and see you play
if you promise to watch
Darren and I.
Derek
Petersen
called

Saved for Delia

Dearest Julie-

Well, I can't say
that this has been
a boring year with
you around you! I
wish that I met you
sooner, because we had

a bitchen time at

McDonalds & T.S.S. Good

luck with Jim!

me luck when I go to

Jimmy's house (my Jimmy,

not yours!) You better say

to go to the beach, or I'll

kill you! I'll write to you when

I'm back East, and you

better break call me or I'll

break your legs! Don't be

a heart-breaker this summer

K? I knew I wasn't,

cause I wouldn't break up

with Jimmy if it was the

end of the world! Oh my

God, Jimmy is such a babe,

and I love him! (my Jimmy, not

yours!) Well, I must be off!

Love ya, Delia

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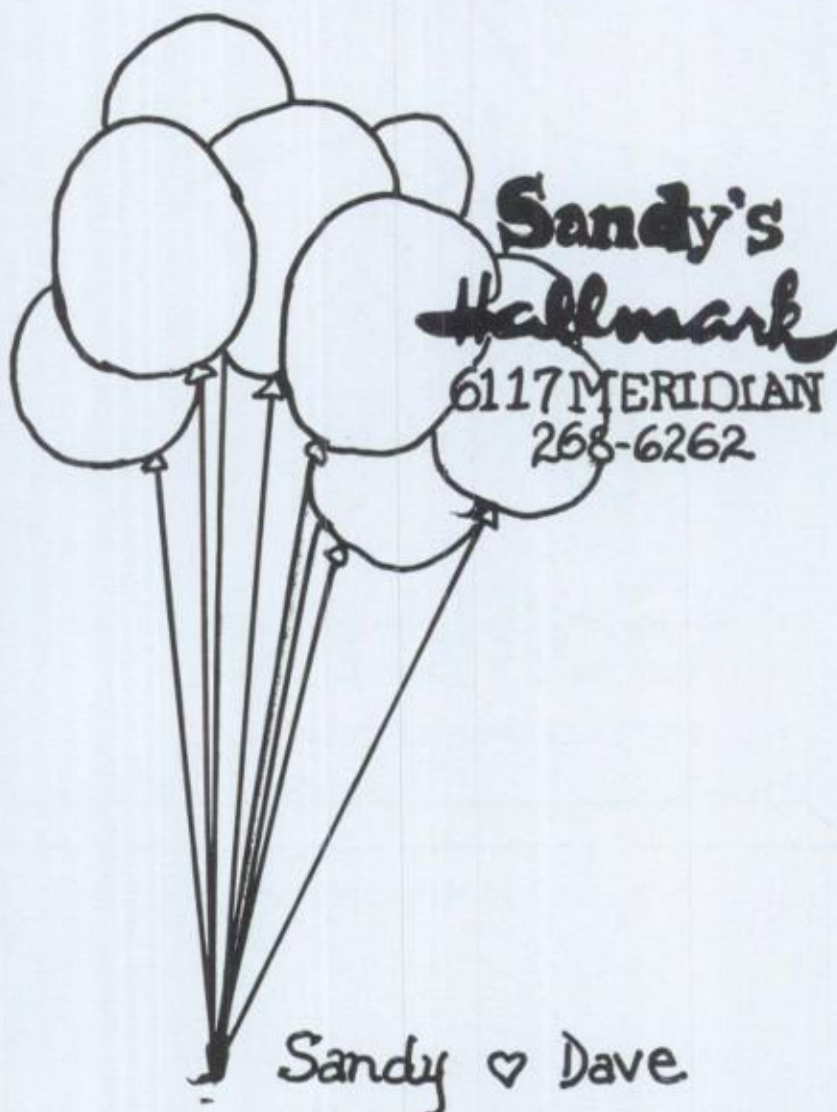
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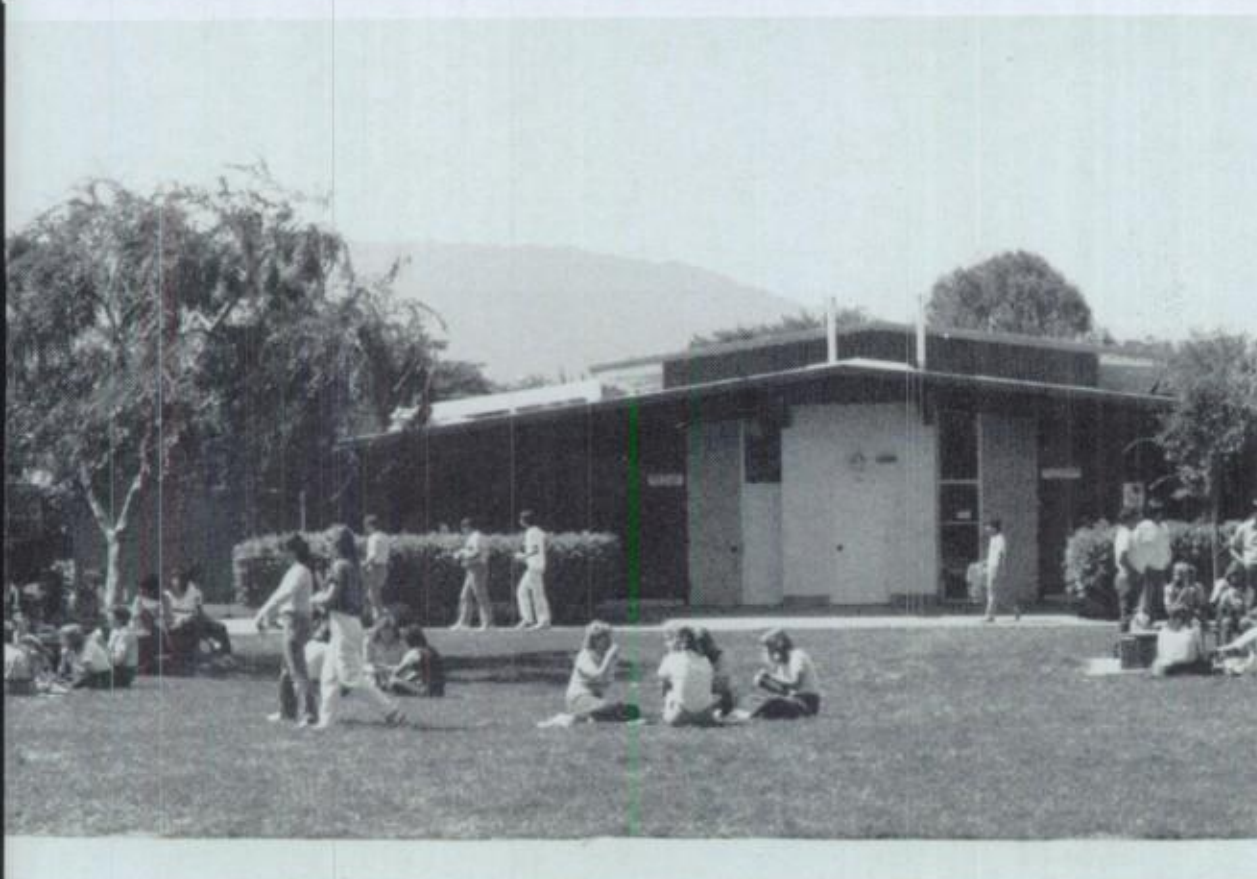
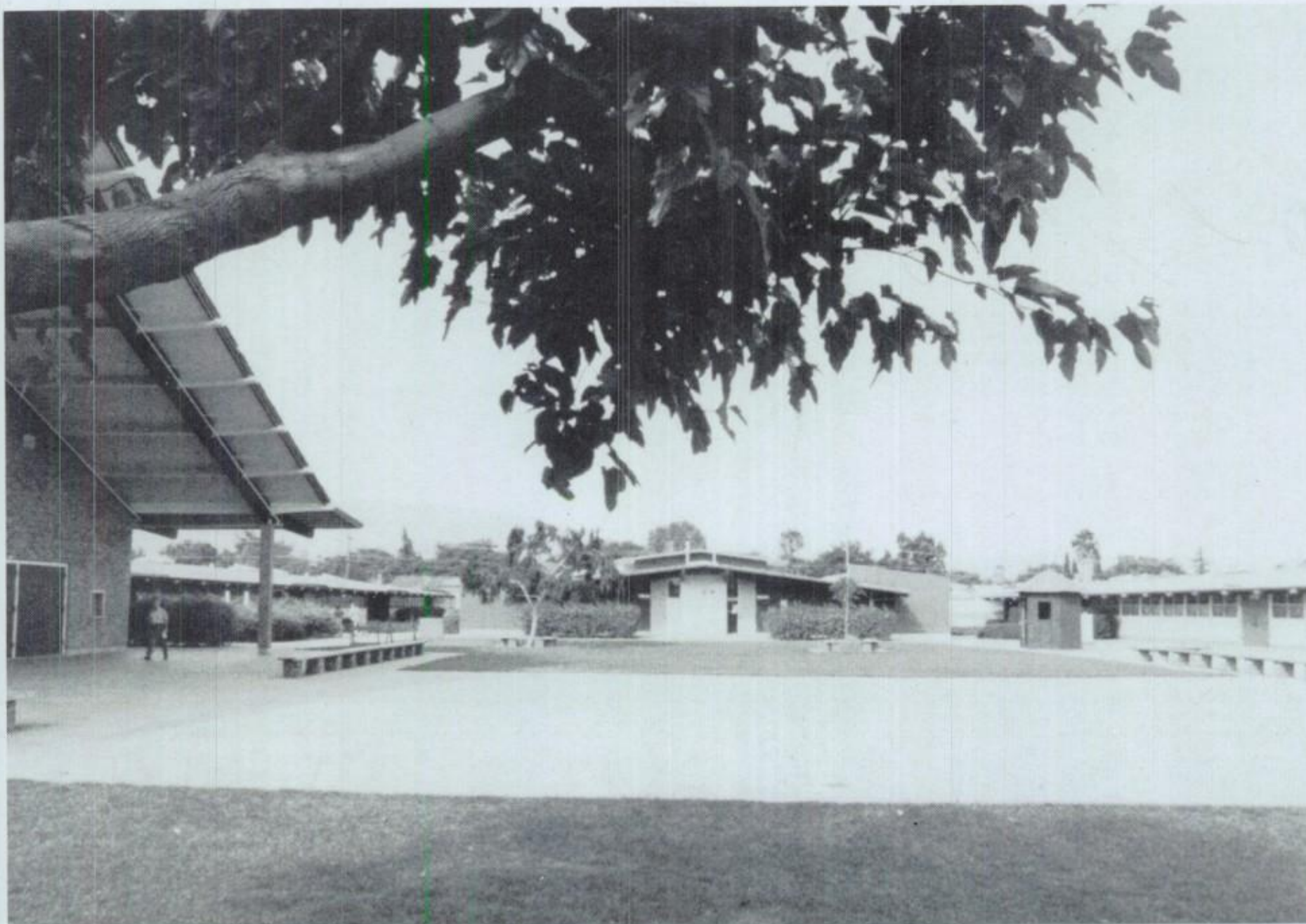
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IT WAS EMPTY; BUT FULL OF MEMORIES



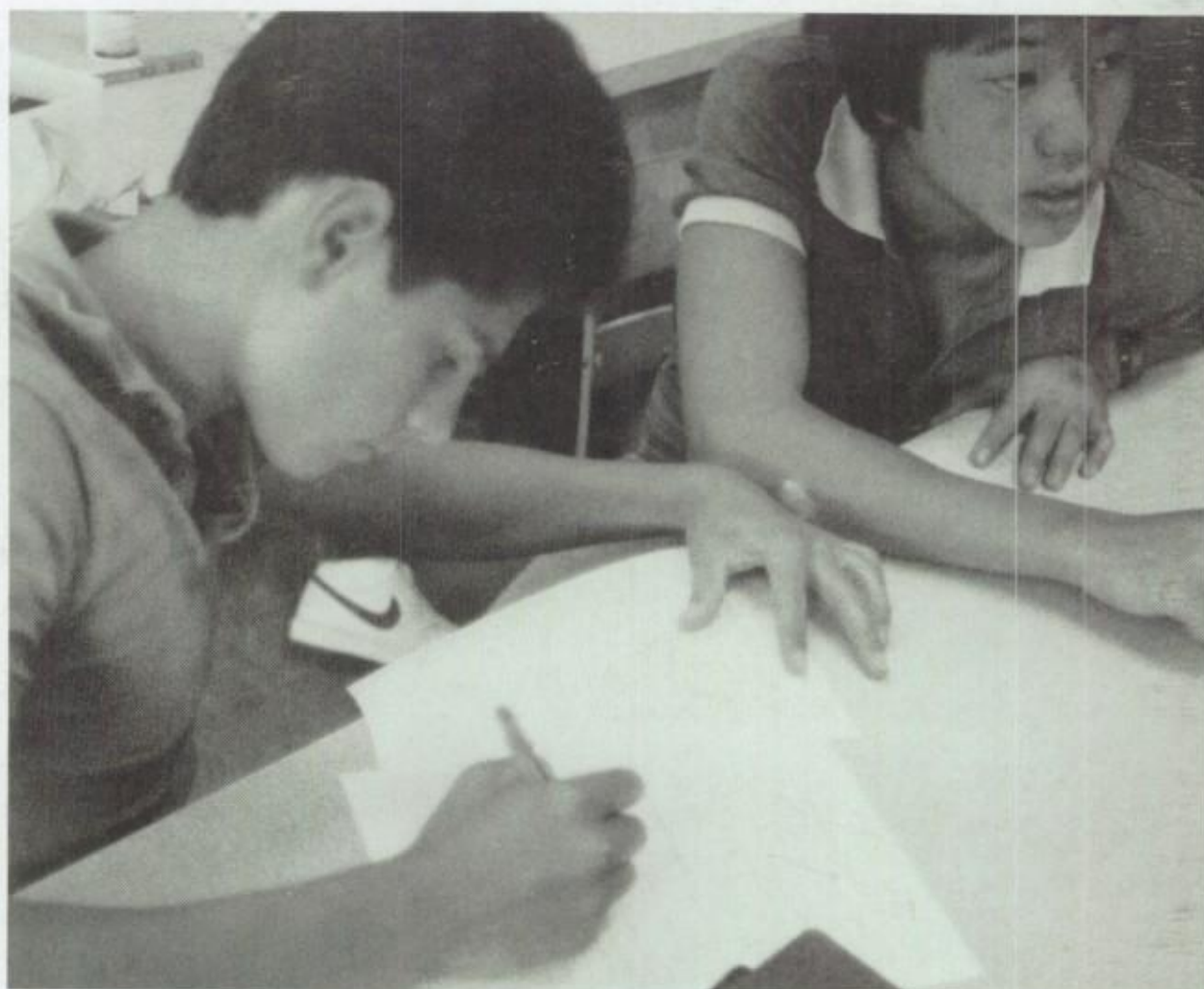
As the year closed, the campus became a quiet, vacant place. The school did not resemble its usual loud and colorful self as it did during school. It was almost as if the school had lost its soul, for its soul was the people who made up Pioneer.

Although the campus was empty, it was filled with memories of 1984. Everyone experienced his own special memories of Pioneer, but the best memories were those that everyone experienced together.

To those who graduated, Pioneer won't be seen again until their reunions. To the underclassmen their collection of memories will continue until their last year and graduation but to all, Pioneer will always be filled with memories.

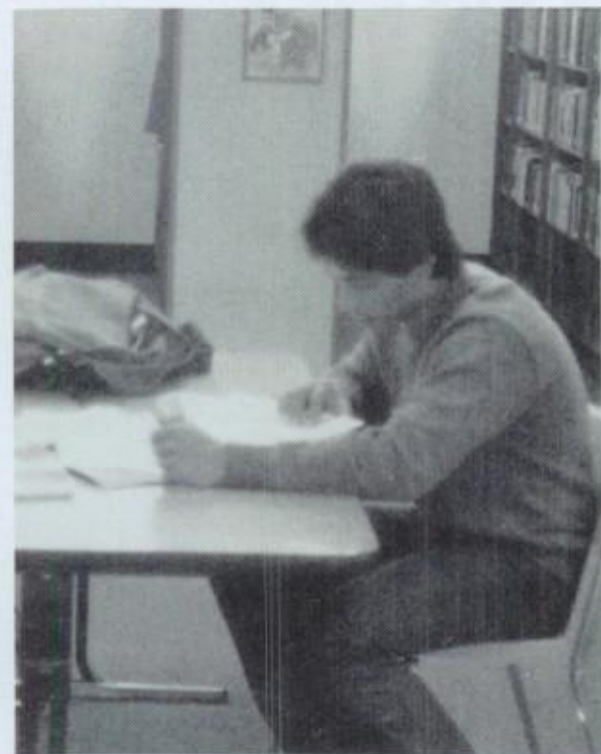
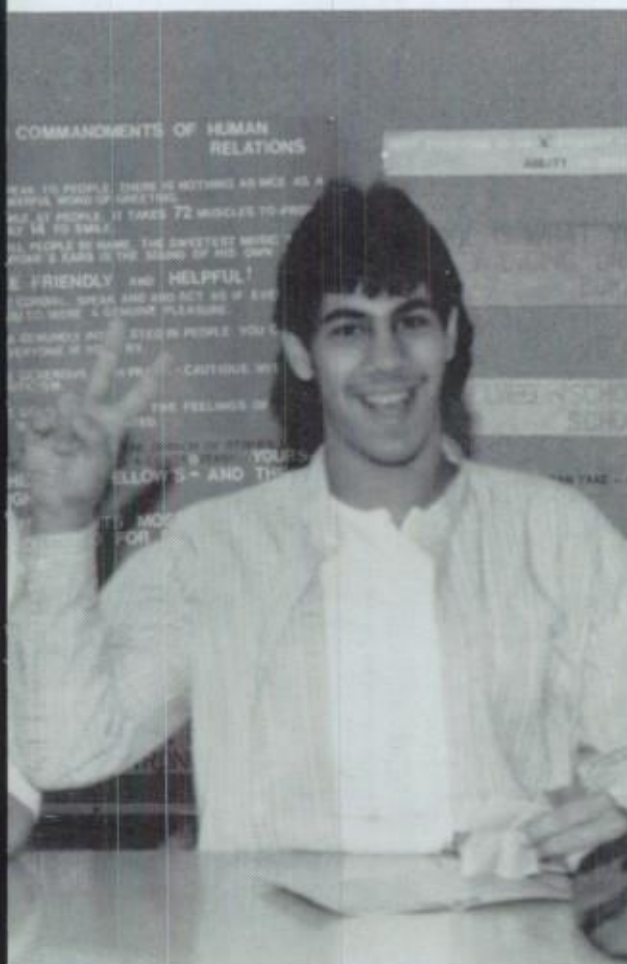
DO YOU REMEMBER? . . .

Do you remember everything that made this year different from any other? Whether we want to or not, we remember events good and bad alike that made up the year. Things as exciting as the Homecoming or Graduation to little things such as having to wear a "potty pass" whenever one left for the restroom are remembered. Many events were embarrassing; embarrassing to the point that we thought we'd never set foot on school grounds again. Some events were sad and we'd like to try and forget them. But all the memorable events that took place this year will never happen again. Those were what made the year different from any other that had been or will be.



TOP: No it's not **copying** your neighbor's paper; it's just **comparing**. We'll always remember the days we just couldn't finish our homework all the way so we used other references. **ABOVE:** The dreaded teacher's grade book, we wish we could forget this memory. How come every time we thought we had more points, the grade book always read "Zero"? **RIGHT:** The most exciting event of 1984 was the victory over San Jose at our Homecoming. It seems that a school's Homecoming always arouses school spirit more than any thing else. This point was proven, for with each touchdown (27-0), Pioneer's Spirit rose higher and higher. The student body as well as parents and Alumni all attended the very memorable event.





TOP: Was it really illness or just that we wanted to get out of home work? The attendance office was a regular hang out for some people. The lines would be so long at times that we'd be tardy to class. Ironically, we'd be sent back to the attendance office for a pass to excuse us from the tardy.

ABOVE: A new edition to the school this year was a snack-shack on the football field. As well as improving the looks of the field, it went over very well with spectators. Besides it kept us from starving while watching the games.

MIDDLE: Not only was the Homecoming game exciting, it was also very wet. The rain didn't hinder Pioneer's Spirit though. Floats, although a little wet still circled around the track during the parade and our Spirit Squads delivered great half time routines. The rain sure didn't stop all of the spectators from being present and enjoying the game.

BOTTOM LEFT: The quad was always filled with hungry students at lunch. During the warmer months, the quad resembled a beach with bodies everywhere enjoying the tanning rays.

BOTTOM RIGHT: There was always that pressure of cramming in studying before class in the library. Our library wasn't just for studying though, when the rains hit it turned into a dry refuge.

Julie
 It's been different
 but it's been fun (sort of), too
 Don't hang around Beth too
 much it's a bad influence on you
 Josh Zoror

CREATING LASTING MEMORIES

The main thought on everyone's mind near the end of the year was what the yearbook was going to be like. Then the day finally arrived when the yearbooks were distributed and everyone skipped class to be one of the first to get his yearbook.

The first thing that happened was the book was opened to try and see how many pictures one was in. Then came the flipping of pages again this time trying to find friends and see how many people were photogenic and how many people weren't. At last, the collection of autographs were compiled and the memories were recorded. After the last page was signed, the yearbook was put away with the other yearbooks from past years, each filled with memories of its own.

Memories; those are what all yearbooks are made of. The great times we had shared through high school will always be remembered as the best years of our lives. We remember things like our victory at our 23rd Homecoming against San Jose and the very successful Homecoming Dance as well. We remember how great our basketball teams were and how much they accomplished. Then there were the little things like fighting the parking lot traffic at lunch. Lunch was another topic; one which we'll never forget. The cokes and M & M's that were consumed were far beyond counting. The big day came when the Seniors purchased their caps and gowns and for the first time really felt like Seniors. All the Great times came to an end as graduation took place and everyone said his last "Good-bye's" to friends and school. Although it was "Good-bye", no one would ever forget.

We tried our best to record all these memories that made up the past year. We felt we succeeded, but the process was an up stream battle. The year was a very unfortunate one for our adviser Mrs. Shelton. Mrs. Shelton was out for one month in the beginning of the year due to back surgery. This was during our first deadline. The staff, with both returning and new people, tried very hard to complete this first deadline. We kept in touch with Mrs. Shelton by phone to help guide us as much as she could.

After Christmas, the staff reconvened and Mrs. Shelton was back in the classroom. Everything was falling into place once again. We managed to finish pages and met, as well as missed, some deadlines. Now everything was boiling down to the final and most crucial deadline. The staff was struck with a very hard emotional blow when we found that Mrs. Shelton had been in a serious car accident. Things fell apart for a few days, but we were forced to continue to work in order to meet the final deadline if the books were to be received on time. We were kept informed on Mrs. Shelton's condition by our substitute and a good friend of Mrs. Shelton's, Mrs. Neal. Even in the hospital Mrs. Shelton never stopped being an advisor. Each visit to the hospital was filled with questions on our progress and suggestions to help us.

Even though the year was not a good one for Mrs. Shelton, she remained our first-rate advisor and without her time, help, and lots of patience, we would have never completed this book.

Thank You,
 1984 Equus Staff



dear Julie,
 well, its
 almost over, and
 summer is coming,
 Julie, I think you are
 one of the sweetest people
 I've met since I moved here.
 I'm really glad
 you have a real great summer!
 don't get into too much trouble!
 See you this
 summer!
 Love,
 Maude

K.I.T. 7/57
 958.7157
 I'm really glad
 I met you this
 year. You're
 totally sweet
 and funny. To
 remember, to
 call me over the
 summer and maybe
 we can do something.
 Have a litcher
 summer!
 Love,
 Maude

you know my
 number
 next year.
 You might
 have a
 great summer.
 I'll see you
 later.
 Love,
 Maude

208-5504
 Love,
 Maude

Julia, Juliee

Hi! This school year was pretty fun. I am glad that we had some classes together this year, and I hope we will in 10th. I hope you have a great summer. Good luck next year.

267-3519

Call me ok!

Love,

Kelly Wade

Julia, Juliee
at we and I hope you
have a great summer
year. I am glad that we
had some classes together
this year, and I hope
you will in 10th. I hope
you have a great summer.
Good luck next year.
Love,
Kelly Wade

Juliee
Have a great
summer. I did great
at it. I feel like I
picked up. Well, I have
fun, I hope you
do too.
P.S. I think I
have a bench warmer
Bryan
Timothy

Julia, Juliee

It has been totally
cool having you in English
& math. I hope you have
a great summer. I hope
you will in 10th. I hope
you have a great summer.
Good luck next year.
Love,
Kelly Wade

LUV YA

PETE

Julia, Juliee

It was a cool
year in Coach's & Shelton's.
I hope you have a killer
soph. year. And you better
have a great summer.
I might even see you
there. Stay cool & a babe
there.
Love,
Tim

266-3375
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Tim

^R
 Julie
 I glad that I got to know
 you this year. It was interesting
 in Spanish (It sucked). Hope you
 have a great summer. Hope to
 see you next year.
 hun
 jim

Return
 978-27998
 better the
 better guys!

Sometimes!
 Julie, Julie
 Hi! It's been a year already! Good! Can
 you believe it? You're been a wild, sweet,
 great friend! I hope we stay friends a long,
 time! We have to party over the weekend

Call me!

Love

friends
 11

Julie, Julie
 Hey darlin this year
 is finally over it was
 a whole lot of fun in
 Typing! Hope we can
 do it again next year!

P.S.
 Hope we
 can keep in

Lee Ann

Touch 997-2263
 Julie, Julie
 I hope you have
 a great summer. I only got
 one more year and I can't wait.
 You still have 3 years so make
 them add. Have a good one.
 Kristi

